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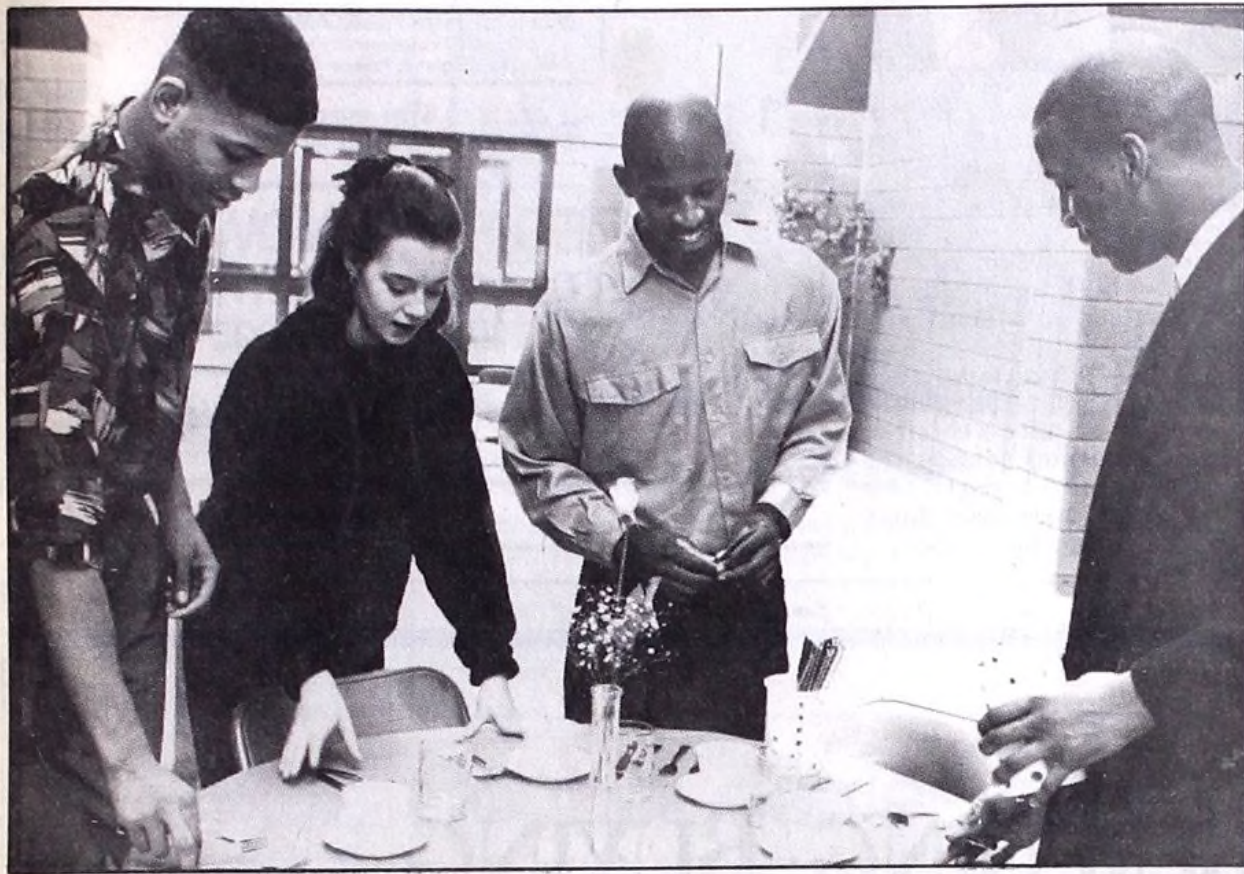
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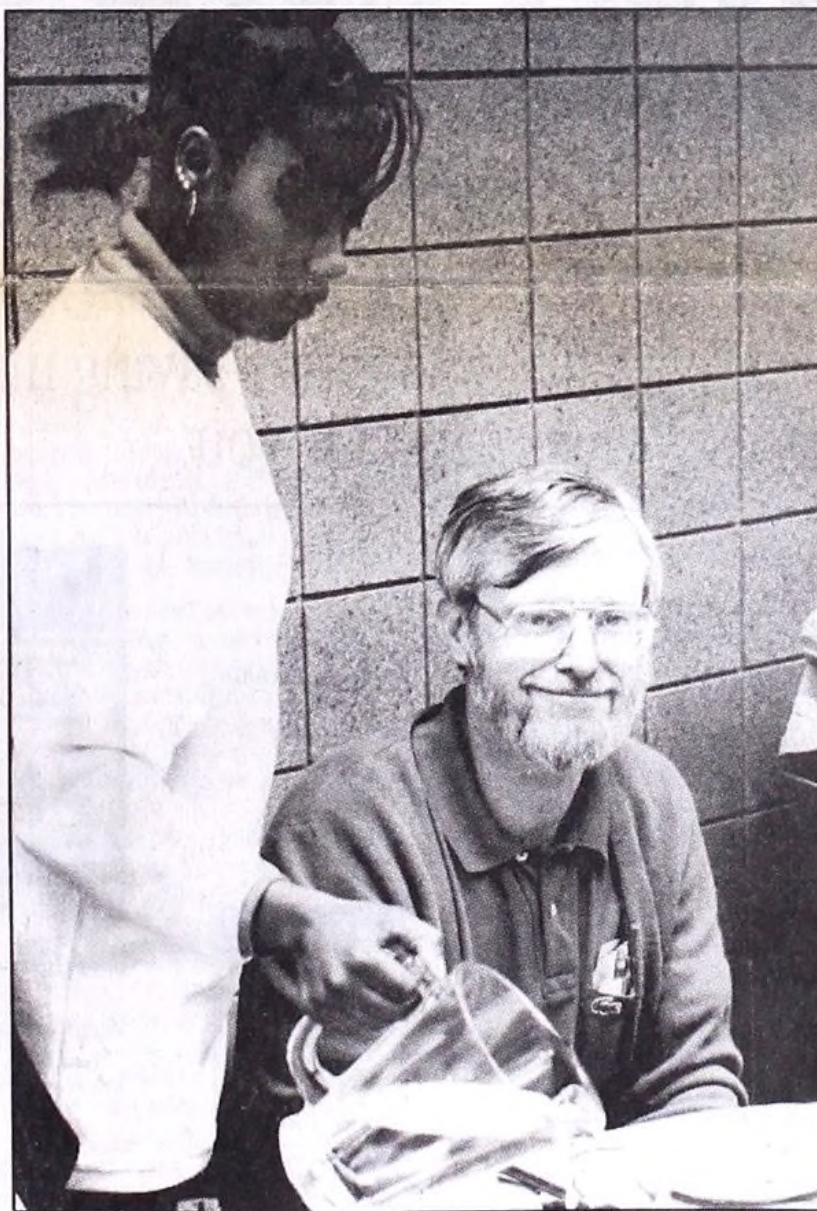
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Romulus High School seniors (top photo from left) Roger Williams, Julia Parrish, Yancy Yharbrough and Daniel Winston set one of the tables prior to the special teacher-staff recognition luncheon at the high school Friday. In the bottom photo, senior Petrina Sewell serves mathematics teacher John Lynch (one of the 80 school staff members who attended the function). ANP photo by Ken Garner



## Students honor school staff

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

While many of their underclass school chums were enjoying a day off from school, a dedicated band of Romulus High School seniors treated their teachers and support staff to a catered luncheon last Friday.

Gail Fraley, class of 1993 advisor, said, "The staff here was extremely grateful for this mark of appreciation by their students and were overwhelmed that the seniors thought enough of them to take \$350 out of their class treasury to pull it off so successfully."

Principal Tom Dolan said, "You had to be here to feel the bonding between staff and students. It showed the great maturity that has built up in this class in the past four years. It also reveals that what we tried to stress 'giving back to the school' has taken seed with them."

Earlier letters prepared by the senior class members under the coordination of Mara Tolbert were sent to high

**"This (luncheon) is given in honor of you, who have worked so hard to prepare us for our futures."**

- Mara Tolbert

school teachers and other staff members inviting them to the special luncheon.

Of the more than 100 invitations distributed, 80 attended the appreciation meal.

The invitations stated "This (luncheon) is given in honor of you, who have worked so hard to prepare us for our futures. Your work and time is greatly appreciated." The letters were signed by Tolbert.

Fraley explained that the luncheon was conducted last week rather than the last month of the school year, so that it could be done in a relaxed setting rather than the usual rush that occurs in the

seniors' final month in class.

The food offered at the luncheon was prepared by Chuck Usztics, coordinator of the school district food program, and his students.

The class of 1993 members themselves acted as waiters and waitresses, Fraley explained.

The teachers were so honored, Fraley said, that many prepared thank-you notes to the senior class shortly after the luncheon and posted them in their classrooms.

A sampling of the letters and comments were:

• Janice Williams, teacher: "I have been teaching for 30 years and I have never been to something as nice as this."

• Ron Bayes, teacher: "The thought was sincerely appreciated by everyone."

• Jean Voight, security: "Your kindness in remembering me with the best."

• Mary Slawinski, security: "The class of 1993 did a great job. We all appreciate the hard work and dedication that you showed during your four years at RHS."

## County pledges ban on airport area blasts

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

No future Detroit Metropolitan Airport security training sessions involving explosives will occur inside Romulus city limits, Mayor Beverly McNally announced Monday night.

McNally and members of the Romulus City Council obtained written pledges from Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara and Metro Airport Director Robert C. Braun that no future training efforts will be scheduled in Romulus without the prior city approval.

The letters, including one entitled "Policy and procedures for use of explosives for training at Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport," came as a result of

lawsuits filed by city attorney Barry Seifman in Wayne County Circuit Court.

The suits were filed after McNally and other city officials complained they were not notified properly about airport security training sessions early in January that included detonation of explosives inside vacant homes in Romulus. The houses had been purchased by the county earlier as a prelude to airport expansion.

The midday blasts on Jan. 4 caused McNally and some district school teachers and students to think that possibly a plane had crashed at or near the airport, they said.

McNally denied that Police Chief Fred Dansby was at the site of the blasts as either a witness or participant. She claimed that Dansby only

went to the blast scene upon her orders.

In the order signed by both Braun and McNamara on Jan. 19, it is stated that the new policy is in "respect to airport operations or any training involving explosives" written approval must be obtained first from the mayor of the city or supervisor of any nearby township.

The agreement also states that the mayor may place conditions (on the blast exercises) for the protection of citizens and property...but the liability and sole responsibility of those actions will remain with Wayne County.

It also stipulates that the Romulus mayor will be informed three weeks in advance of any such planned training sessions.

## Woman killed in crash

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

A 34-year-old Allen Park woman was killed instantly Friday night, when her 1984 Fiero collided head on with another auto on Merriman Road.

The driver of the second auto, Erinn Altesleben, 18, of Dearborn Heights, suffered multiple face and body injuries. She was taken to Annapolis Hospital and then flown to the University of Michigan Hospitals.

The crash victim was identified as Denise Wells, 34, of Allen Park.

Romulus Traffic Officer Rick Schwartz reported the Wells car was traveling north on Merriman (apparently in the wrong lane) about 8:40 p.m. Friday, when it struck a 1988 Ford Tempo operated by Altesleben.

It is not known at this time if the headlights of the Wells' car were on prior to the accident, Schwartz said.

Wells, who was not wearing

a seatbelt, was trapped inside the badly smashed auto, Schwartz revealed.

Two tow-trucks from J and M Towing pulled on either end of the crumpled Fiero car to try to extend it, seconds before Romulus firemen used the "Jaws of Life" to remove Wells' body.

Altesleben sustained multiple fractures of the face, a dislocated hip, a broken femur and internal injuries, Schwartz reported.

## Murder trial set to begin

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

Some of the mystery behind the 14-year-old murder of Joanne Lincoln, a 23-year-old dancer, may unfold at 9 a.m. today as Daniel Dowling, former Romulus resident, testifies at his "open murder" hearing before 34th District Court Judge Felix Rogalle.

Dowling, who faced a Feb. 10 extradition hearing back in Virginia, unexpectedly appeared in Romulus on Jan. 26.

On Feb. 9 an attorney called the Wayne County Sheriff's office and reported that Dowling would turn himself in at the sheriff's Metro Airport office at 1 p.m. Tuesday.

When he arrived at the sheriff's office with his new attorney, Richard Lustig, Dowling was processed and taken to the nearby 34th District Court.

He was arraigned before

Rogalle on the open murder and felony firearms violation charges and ordered held in \$20,000 cash bail in connection with the shooting death of Lincoln, his former girlfriend, on Aug. 28, 1978.

Lincoln was shot in the head inside an apartment she shared at the time with Dowling, sheriff's records show.

She was taken to the old Wayne County General Hospital and then was transferred to the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor, where she died two days later.

Dowling was questioned at the time of the initial probe by Wayne County Sheriff's detectives, but no charges were pressed against any suspect at the time.

The case slowly became dormant. In November 1992, the investigation was reopened when local sheriff's detectives uncovered new

information and Dowling was arrested in his Virginia home on a Wayne County warrant.

Wayne County authorities have refused to divulge what that "new information" includes, saying they would do so after Dowling was in local police custody.

Some of that "new evidence" is expected to be revealed today. The Wayne County Prosecutor's office also is expected to change the open murder count to first or second degree murder charge.

Most recently Dowling has lived in Front Royal, Va. and operated a auto-related business, where he sells and repairs various cars. Dowling used both his auto business and his wife's day care operation as collateral to raise his \$100,000 bail in Virginia in November.

## Council rejects hearing request

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

A request for a public hearing on a planned permit for construction of a wetland for the Ford Motor Company-City of Wayne was tabled Monday night by members of the Romulus City Council.

Council members expressed opposition to the public hearing, since Romulus filed an unsuccessful lawsuit against the city of Wayne and the state Department of Natural Resources in an effort to

block the wetland project creation.

Councilmen Jimmie Raspberry, Noah "Pete" Bergeron and Randolph Gear expressed opposition to such a hearing which was recommended for March 1.

Only Councilman Ellis Pennington supported such a hearing even though he said he is "opposed to Wayne removing soil from the city of Romulus." The wetland site is located at

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# On the agenda

## Local legislators look at year ahead in Lansing

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

Finding solutions to old problems, such as property tax reform, equity in school financing, auto insurance reform, reduction in health care cost and crime and drugs remain atop of the legislative agenda in Lansing, according to local lawmakers.

"As of Dec. 31, the property assessment freeze expired," said veteran State Representative William Keith. "That means homeowners may get double-digit tax increase, and you can bet we're going to hear about it. We're going to get the heat."

"These old problems have not gone away and must be addressed," Keith continued.

"They are still here and must be dealt with."

Keith stressed that finding a solution to lowering property taxes while facing a \$1.2 billion deficit will be an incredible task.

"We can't make many more cuts. We've reached the bone. We're to the point where the executive branch has said that the schools will not be held harmless this time around. So schools may also take a hit this time around."

"Should we ask for a hike in the state income tax? I don't have to tell you what happened when Blanchard tried that. I don't think so."

In an effort to balance the 1986-87 budget, the then governor, James Blanchard, asked

for legislative approval to increase state taxes. Blanchard was successful but it eventually cost him and at least two area Democrats their jobs. The legislators were recalled from office while Blanchard never recovered his previous popularity and lost his bid for reelection to John Engler.

By approving the term limitation amendment to the state constitution, Keith also noted that the voters sent a strong message to Washington and Lansing that they wouldn't tolerate the "status quo".

"We have our work cut out for us," Keith added. "Believe me, There isn't going to be much game-playing up here this time around. There is too much at stake."



Bill Keith

## Schools, health care concern representative

By CRAIG GARRETT  
ANP Staff Writer

Property taxes will be the first major issue Deborah Whyman attacks Wednesday in Lansing after swearing in on the House floor as the new 21st district state representative.



Deborah Whyman

"Lower property taxes are the first thing on my agenda," Whyman said recently. "All I've heard about for the last several months is tax relief and I know Gov. (John) Engler has made property taxes a priority item. I think we'll see movement in that direction."

Whyman said other topics of preferred interest include education, Michigan businesses and constituent relations. Whyman said she particularly wants to address the Michigan Model health and learning program used in some form in 90 percent of Michigan schools.

"Michigan Model should be an option package (in the classroom) and sold on the open market," she said. "I'm hoping to end up on an education committee to help achieve that goal."

The new state representative has spent time during the past weeks studying the Lansing political system and trying to adjust to the pace and climate. The first sizable political issue each House member has to wrestle with is the even

55-55 Republican/Democrat split. Questions of which party will have leadership roles during the two-year term have been raised and argued.

"It pretty much comes down to drawing straws," Whyman joked. "It looks like one party will lead for one year and then switch the next. Right now it doesn't make much difference to me. I'm working on carrying my end of the bargain (with voters), setting up office hours and finding my way around."

"It still amazes me," Whyman added, "that so much of what we do affects children of the next generation. It gives me a new sense of respect for what people have been doing in Lansing over the years."

## Barns predicts busy year

By PATRICIA BROWN  
ANP News Editor

State Rep. Justine Barns (D-Westland) predicted 1993 will be a busy year for officials at the State House of Representatives.

"It looks like it's going to be a pretty eventful year," Barns said.

One of the most important issues residents in the 36th District will face is education, according to Barns.

"You can expect dollars for education and the whole educational funding process to come up this year," Barns said. "Part of that ties in with the high assessments. In Westland, assessments are up and the market is down."

"This is an issue we have to address," Barns said. "I don't think residential property should pay for these services. We have to find other means to fund education."

Barns is counting on another veteran legislator to make changes in the current educational system. Barns is hoping United States Con-



Justine Barns

gressman William D. Ford, who is the chairman of the House Education and Labor Committees, will be successful in finding additional dollars for education.

"Bill Ford knows where I'm coming from," Barns said. "I

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## ROMULUS NEWS DIGEST

### Romulus woman wins \$100,000

An unidentified 73-year-old Romulus woman had 100,000 reasons to say thank you for an exiting birthday this year, as the Michigan Lottery announced she had won the Cash 5 drawing for Jan. 26.

The woman confirmed her winning ticket by watching a televised drawing report and declaring "this is a wonderful birthday gift."

The anonymous winner said she "was in total shock" as the television announcement was made during a family party in honor of her birthday. She said she would share her \$100,000 in winnings with her family.

### Bales blames Bedell's leadership

Romulus Community School Board member Dan Bales said he was blaming the leadership of Superintendent of Schools Dr. William Bedell's staff for the continued poor showing by local students on the Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) tests.

Bales called to state he was misinterpreted when he was quoted as saying the teachers were to blame.

"In 13 or more years we have listened to Bedell on MEAP score issues, but fail to see any change upward," Bales said.

Bedell said earlier that he could understand the board's frustration, as his staff is working hard to raise the lowest scores to the moderate range which go unreported in regional daily newspapers.

### Pastor will be cited tomorrow

Rev. John D. Wells, pastor of the Union Grove Baptist Church, will be honored on his 83rd birthday tomorrow at 7 p.m. Wells is the church's founder and has been its pastor for the past 36 years.

The speaker of the night will be Dr. Frederick Sampson, pastor of the Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church of Detroit.

The Union Grove Baptist Church is located at 6312 S. Wayne Road. Dinner will be served following the birthday celebration meeting.

### Evangelist will speak at church

Evangelist Don Sanderson will be preaching at a four-day revival series next week at the Garden City Assembly of God Church.

Sanderson, who will speak on issues facing both the church and the nation, will kick off his series at 11 a.m. Sunday at the church located at 1075 Venoy Road in Garden City, corner of Venoy and Marquette.

Other services will be conducted at 6 p.m. Sunday, and 7 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The church is lead by Pastor Charles Schwartz, former pastor of the Romulus Gateway Assembly of God Church.

## Wetland

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Hannan and Van Born roads.

"I just want the public to know, who is in favor and who is against this measure," Pennington explained.

Bergeron angrily asked his fellow council members, "Why do we have to have a public hearing on this? Why doesn't the city of Wayne hold it?"

Gear called such a public hearing in Romulus "a waste of money."

Mayor Beverly McAnally suggested, "Maybe there is some room for negotiation on taxes."

Raspberry claimed, "One municipal body can't collect taxes from another."

McAnally said, "Well they (Wayne) are still paying them. This request was channeled through the city clerk's office and we haven't researched it fully yet."



### Reading stressed

Mayor Beverly McAnally took time out early Monday morning to read poems and other literary pieces to fifth and sixth graders at Halecreek Elementary School. The students, from left, are Erik Hall, Yvonne Fliessner and Bobbie Lindsay. McAnally's visit was part of the on-going Reading is Fundamental program that is operated nationally. In addition, each of the 510 students was presented with a free book compliments of the RIF organization. Local DARE officer John Leacher offered a similar reading session on Tuesday. ANP photo by Ken Garner

## Council denies senior discount

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

Shortly after the city water and sewer rate hike ordinance was unanimously approved Monday night, two councilmen tried vainly to have their fellow council members consider a senior citizen discount.

The water and sewer rate hikes had been recommended by the state Department of Natural Resources (DNR). The DNR representatives had warned city Finance Director Donovan McGuire that if the rates were not hiked to cover annual costs, Romulus could be stricken from grant considerations in the future.

After several stormy study and hearing sessions, the council approved the new ordinance amendments by a 5-2 margin. The amendments provide for the automatic annual rate hikes. The council keeps the option of objecting to any future annual hikes, otherwise the increases go into effect automatically.

Mayor Beverly McAnally and McGuire pressed for the updating of the twin ordinances, since Romulus plans some heavy infrastructure improvements in coming months and years.

McAnally said earlier that the city had done its homework in case the Clinton administration starts passing

out infrastructure grants to help reduce area unemployment rates.

Councilmen Jimmie Raspberry and Ellis Pennington instituted a slow, painstaking debate on the need for such an automatic procedure, while Councilman Noah "Pete" Bergeron pressed to have the ordinance changes passed so that no state or federal grants will be eliminated in the near future.

At the tail-end of the Monday night council session, Pennington requested that the city attorney draw up a ordinance amendment proposal that would include a senior citizen discount for water and sewer rates.

He said the discount could be offered to seniors earning \$25,000-\$30,000 or less a year and could be as high as 10 percent.

Pennington said it should be coupled with a review of what such a proposal would cost the water-sewer department in lost revenue.

Mayor Pro Tem Mary Ann Banks told Pennington, "there appears to be no support for your motion."

Suddenly Raspberry jumped in and said he would support Pennington's move and the water issue quickly began to sizzle on the council's burner.

Bergeron said he didn't know how the city could vote "on such a discriminatory dis-

count request.

"We just voted to straighten out our water-sewer debt problem," Bergeron said "and now you want us to act like Santa Claus and give some of the money back to senior citizens!"

Bergeron continued "I'm sorry. I don't feel sorry for senior citizens making only \$25,000 today. I'm totally opposed to giving away the store. I have greater sympathy today for young couples fighting to make a living with small children in their homes."

Pennington slashed back "I'm not trying to give away any store. I just feel that senior citizens have paid their dues over the years by faithfully paying their taxes and other fees.

"Every where you go today," Pennington said, "you see senior citizen discounts, why not from your city?"

Councilman William Wadsworth jumped into the debate by saying "if we give the senior citizens a discount, who is going to make up the difference. I'm against spending any more legal fees on this issue."

Banks called for a vote and Pennington's motion was defeated 2-5.

Just before adjourning for the night, Raspberry struck back at his fellow councilmen by stating "we voted years ago to allow any councilman to ask the city attorney for such an ordinance proposal."

## Party store holdup foiled

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

A 26-year-old Romulus Liquor store attendant foiled an attempted armed robbery Monday night by fleeing the two gunmen and locking himself inside a cooler.

Police said two men armed with small handguns entered the store in the 3000s block of Eureka Road shortly before 11 p.m.

When the attendant, who resides in Southfield, saw the armed pair leap over the counter, he quickly fled to the store cooler area and hit the alarm button, police said.

The bandits turned their attention instead to a clean-up man, who resides in Detroit, and forced him to lie on the floor, while they tried to force open the cash register.

The attendant told police he could watch the pair from where he was hiding and saw them flee from the store empty-handed.

Neither employee was injured in the holdup attempt. The bandits were described

as black males wearing ski masks. Both were believed to be in their early 20s and stood about 5 feet, 7 inches tall.

In an unrelated incident, Romulus police arrested a suspect in connection with the theft of a 1988 Chevrolet pickup truck.

The truck, owned by a Livonia man, was reported stolen from the parking lot of the Hampton Inn on Flynn Road.

Following the issuance of the stolen vehicle alarm, county sheriff's officers spotted the truck parked near a service station at Wick and Middlebelt Roads, city police said.

said.

They notified Romulus police of the sighting and city officers found a suspect walking alone on Wick Road.

They charged the man, Reuben Earl Davis, 18, of Detroit, with receiving and concealing stolen property. He was arraigned before 34th District Court Judge William J. Szlinis and ordered held in lieu of \$10,000 personal bond. A return court hearing has been slated for Feb. 10.

The truck was recovered and found to have damage to the driver's door and steering column.

## Tax proposal warning issued

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

Citing the fact that the Romulus School District could lose \$2 million next year and \$9 million over three years under Gov. John Engler's proposed 20 percent tax reduction plan, Assistant School Superintendent Joel Carr urged local residents to press those in Lansing to rethink the school funding issue.

Carr cautioned residents that Engler is on the fast track to have the State Equalized Valuation rate now at 50 percent, cut to 45 next year, 42-1/2 in 1995 and 40 in 1996.

"Engler is trying to balance the budget on our backs," Carr said "and the rumors spreading around Lansing is that the budget is already \$400 million in the hole."

Carr chastised Engler's State of the State claim that he was planning a Governor's Report Card on the 3,176 schools in Michigan.

"I think we ought to ought to prepare a report card for him," Carr said, "as he raps us on Michigan Education Assessment Program (MEAP) scores and when we begin working to improve the system, he turns around and offers us less state money."

Carr said quick fixes on taxes will not solve the school problems in Michigan and ultimately the shortage of funds will be thrown back against the middle income Michigan resident.

Since Rep. Gregory Pitoniak (D-Taylor) is now a member of the 11-member committee that is studying school tax reform, Carr said, so it is important that Romulus residents contact him and press him on the need for a sound alternate school tax plan.

Pitoniak said the committee (that formerly included Rep. James Kosteva) will be meeting this week to set up a planning study outline.

## Development director bids fond farewell

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

The transition in the Romulus Community Development leadership office has begun, with current Director Dennis Oakes preparing the way for his successor, Jane Ann Downing, a former Durand city manager.

Oakes, who will be leaving Romulus next month for his new home in Richmond, Va., was cited Monday night by the City Council members for his past committed involvement in the community growth and infrastructure improvement.

Downing, who already has begun working for Romulus, was formally introduced by Mayor Beverly McAnally.

McAnally said she selected Downing, "because of her total background - she has been an elected official as well as a city administrator. In addition she can and has written grant proposals...and she lives now in Romulus."

Prior to being cited by the

City Council members Monday night, Oakes had sent a letter stating "I leave (Romulus) with mixed emotions. I have enjoyed my job very much and care about this community and its future."

Oakes explained that being part of a two-career family, "It has been very difficult to overlook the advancement opportunity that was being offered to my wife, Doris."

Oakes' wife has obtained a hospital administration appointment in Richmond and has already moved there.

"Over the years, we have become accustomed to the fact that the city government (in Romulus) works so well. I attribute that to the excellent record of leadership provided by Mayor McAnally."

Oakes continued, "In my 20 plus years in government, I have never worked with a more professional, dedicated and fun-loving bunch...and I will always value the memories of our good times together."

## Chamber seeks to double membership

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

The Greater Romulus Chamber of Commerce will soon begin a drive to double the present membership of 125 local businesses and executives.

President Mark Lewkowicz said chamber directors initially will be called upon to make visits to local businesses and establishments in an effort to enlist them as new members.

But he said other volunteers will be sought for the massive three-month effort.

Lewkowicz said the membership drive is critical now, as the chamber, city and school board members are teaming up in an intense marketing effort to sell Romulus to prospective homeowners and businesses.

Lewkowicz said he has

already talked to new Community Development Director Jane Downing about the marketing committee plans and has found her enthused about the project.

Lewkowicz said he knew Downing on a limited basis prior to her arrival.

"She came from the same home town (Oxford) as my wife, Candy," Lewkowicz said.

Individuals willing to become membership team volunteers are urged to call chamber executive secretary Karan Cantrell.

Some of the reasons local business reps should join the chamber, Lewkowicz said, are: to increase the recognition of their business firm, to gain new knowledge of community-wide efforts and concerns and to be on the cutting edge of the new Romulus marketing program.



### DARE on road

Romulus Mayor Beverly McAnally (left) and Police Chief Fred Dansby inspect a new Drug Abuse Resistance Education van that was purchased through drug forfeiture funds. The van will be used by the two full time DARE officers and other staff, who work with local youth and students. ANP Special Photo

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**SEND INFORMATION--** Items for the "Community Calendar" should be submitted in writing no later than noon Thursday to Community Calendar, Associated Newspapers, P.O. Box 578, Wayne, Mich. 48184. Each calendar event should be listed on a separate piece of paper. For more information, phone our newsroom at 729-4000.



CLUBS, GROUPS

**WOOL GATHERERS KNITTING GUILD** -- is looking for new members. Group members meet from 6:30 until 10 p.m. the third Thursday of every month at The Salvation Army Building, 9451 South Main Street in Plymouth. For more information call Mildred at 721-1853 or Karen at 420-4022. All knitters welcome.

**MICHIGAN TEEN PAGEANT**--Teens interested in participating in the pageant must submit their applications by Feb. 6. The pageant will be March 27 and 28 at the Royce Hotel in Romulus. All judging is on the basis of poise, personality and evening gown competition. To enter teens must be between 13 and 19 years old. To apply by mail write to Michigan Teen Pageant, Regional Headquarters-Dept. FN, 347 Locust Ave. Washington Penn., or call 1-412-225-5343.

**THE PSYCHIC CONNECTION PRESENTS**--Life, Love and Light Holistic Health fair Feb. 13 between 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. at Holiday Inn in Taylor, Interstate-75 at Eureka Road. A second fair will be Feb. 27 at the Fairlane Holiday Inn in Dearborn at the Southfield Expressway and Ford Road. Psychic readings, crystals, holistic health practitioners will be on hand. Free lectures all day. Free prizes drawn hourly. Admission is \$5. For more information call Elizabeth at 722-7278.

**ANNAPOLIS HOSPITAL OF WAYNE**-- is seeking adult volunteers for patient care, clerical, bingo, gift cart and gift shop. For an application call 467-4168.

**THE HOLIDAY NATURE PRESERVE**-- members have planned a 7:30 p.m. Feb. 10, general membership meeting at the main Livonia library in the Jenkins Conference Room. At noon Feb. 13, "Cabin Fever Nature Walk" is planned-- get out of the house for a trek in the woods, meet at the Koppernick Road entrance. A general meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. March 10, April 14 and May 12 at the Livonia Civic Center Library. First Day of Spring walk in the preserve will be at noon April 10. Earth Day and Arbor Day will be recognized at 10 a.m. April 24 at the Newburgh Road entrance of the park. A Holiday Preserve Wildflowers walk will begin at 10 a.m. April 25 at the Cowen Road entrance. Another Wildflower Walk will be at noon May 1. Wear old boots and shoes. Bird Banding Demonstration will be from 9 a.m. to noon May 8 and May 15 following the trail from Koppernick Road entrance west of Hix Road and south of Joy Road. Wildflower Mother's Day Walk will be at 10 a.m. May 9 at the Cowen Road entrance. Rouge Rescue clean up begins at 8 a.m. June 5. For more information call 467-5127.

**THE FIFTH ARMY ASSOCIATION**-- Veterans of the Italian Campaign during World War II are planning a tour of battlefields of that campaign in the fall of 1993. Information is available at: The Fifth Army Association, Canton Township, Sec., 465 Shore Road, Long Beach, N.Y. 11561, Suite 7P.

**ROMULUS QUILTING CLASS**-- from 7 to 9:30 p.m. every Thursday in the Romulus Recreation Building. Quilters from beginners to advanced are invited to attend. \$1 fee per evening. No advance registration is required. For more information call 942-6852.

**CANTON DEMOCRATIC CLUB**-- members meet the fourth Wednesday of the month at Cherry Hill School, corner of Ridge and Cherry Hill roads in Canton Township. For more information call 397-0545.

**ALZHEIMER'S CARE-GIVERS**-- a new support group for Alzheimer's caregivers will meet from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every month at St. John Neumann, 4480 Warren Road in Canton Township. All meetings are free and everyone is welcome. For more information phone Rosemarie Shim at 697-8051 or Anna Lilla at the Alzheimer's Association at 557-8277.

**THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION - DETROIT AREA CHAPTER**-- is seeking volunteers to assist with an adult day care program for persons with a memory impairment. There are weekday and weekend hours available. Volunteers provide companionship and assist with simple recreational activities. Persons interested in this program should call 557-8277.

**THE MICHIGAN CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL SCOLIOSIS FOUNDATIONS**-- meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month in the New Administration Building Conference Dining Room at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. For more information call 398-6346.

**A.C.E.S.**-- the Association for Children for Enforcement of Support for people having trouble collecting child support meets at 7:30 p.m. the last Tuesday of each month at the Downriver Community Conference Building, room 181, 15100 Northline Road in Southgate, east of Allen Road, near St. Aquinas High School.

**AEROBICS CLASSES**-- for women, men and families are offered from 6 to 7 p.m. at the YWCA of western Wayne County, 26279 Michigan Ave., Inkster. Come as often as you like Mondays and Thursdays. Each session is \$2 for members and \$2.50 for non-members. To register or for more information call 561-4110.

**CIVIL AIR PATROL**-- Willow Run Airport Cadet Squadron meets at 6:30 p.m. each Thursday. Adult members perform flight operations and unit administrative functions. For more information, phone 697-5330.

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**NOTICE  
EXPANSION OF  
METRO AIRPORT**  
Please be advised, pursuant to Article 6, Section 6.5 of the Romulus City Charter and P.A. 267 of 1976, Michigan Open Meetings Act, City Council has scheduled a Special Presentation by Deputy Wayne County Executive Michael Duggan to be held Tuesday, February 9, 1993 at 7:30 p.m., in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174. The purpose of the meeting is for an update on noise mitigation and land acquisition relating to the expansion of Metropolitan Airport.  
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk  
City of Romulus, Michigan  
Publish: January 28, 1993  
February 4, 1993  
**THIS IS AN OPEN MEETING!**

**CITY OF ROMULUS  
NOTICE**  
The Romulus Planning Commission has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held as follows:  
Thursday, February 18, 1993  
7:30 p.m.  
Romulus City Hall Council Chambers  
11111 Wayne Road  
Romulus, Michigan 48174  
The purpose of the hearing is to consider a proposed zoning text amendment to the Romulus Zoning Ordinance Article XXIII: Planned Development Area to provide assurances that appropriate environmental review has been undertaken in the Planned Development Area. A copy of the text in its entirety is on file in the clerk's office. All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to comment on said approval. Written comments may be submitted no later than 12:00 noon, Thursday February 18, 1993 and directed to the attention of David Paul, Director Building, Safety and Engineering at the above address.  
Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk  
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**CITY OF ROMULUS  
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF  
THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL HELD  
JANUARY 11, 1993 IN THE ROMULUS  
CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS**  
The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mary Ann Banks, Mayor Pro Tem  
Present: Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry  
Absent: None  
Excused: Gear, Wadsworth  
Administrative Officials in Attendance:  
Beverly McAnally, Mayor  
Linda Choate, Clerk  
James Napiorkowski, Treasurer  
Motion by Bergeron, supported by Pennington to accept the agenda as presented.  
Pledge of Allegiance  
Roll Call  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry.  
Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
93-009  
2A. Motion by Lambert, supported by Bergeron to approve the minutes of the Regular Council meeting held on January 4, 1993.  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
93-010  
3A. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Pennington to approve the request to transfer ownership of 1992 Twelve Month Resort B-hotel licensed business with Official Permit (Food) and 121 rooms, located at 9555-9559 Middlebelt from Mid-Air Motel, Inc. and transfer classification to Class C license and add new Direct Connection Permit. Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
5A. Motion by Pennington, supported by Bergeron to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Beverly McAnally and approve the Mayor's Consent Agenda 5A1 through 5A4 as follows:  
93-011  
5A1. To authorize the Mayor and Clerk to enter into a Professional Services Agreement with Bills/Childs Associates for review of the proposed development plan and cost analysis for the proposed golf course at Merriman and Van Born Roads as recommended by the Golf Course Advisory Committee. The cost for these services is not to exceed \$1,600.00. A copy in its entirety is on file in the City Clerk's office.  
93-012  
5A2. To adopt a resolution approving the proposed grant agreement required by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources for the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Land Acquisition Project Agreement for the Elmer Johnson Park expansion project. A copy in its entirety is on file in the City Clerk's office.  
93-013  
5A3. To award Bid 92-37 for Typewriter Maintenance to the lowest Bidder, Michigan Business Systems, Inc.

93-014  
5A4. To approve the Interfund Debt Repayment schedule through November 30, 1992. A copy in its entirety is on file in the City Clerk's office.  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
93-015  
5B. Motion by Pennington, supported by Lambert to appoint Noah "Pete" Bergeron, Jr. as the Local Officials Legislative Coordinator for the Michigan Municipal League and to appoint Mayor Beverly McAnally as the alternate.  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
5. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Pennington to accept the Mayor's Report.  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
93-016  
6A1. Motion by Raspberry, supported by Bergeron to authorize all elected officials to attend the Michigan Municipal League 1993 Legislative Conference to be held on February 17, 1993 in Lansing, Michigan.  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
93-017  
6B. Motion by Lambert, supported by Bergeron to receive and place on file the Treasurer's Monthly Cash Balance Report for October and November, 1992.  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
93-018  
11. Motion by Bergeron, supported by Pennington to approve payment of Warrant #93-01 in the total amount of Four Hundred Forty Four Thousand, Three Hundred Thirty Five Dollars and Thirty Three Cents (\$444,335.33).  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry. Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
12. Motion by Pennington, supported by Bergeron to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.  
Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Banks, Bergeron, Lambert, Pennington, Raspberry.  
Nayes - None.  
Motion Carried Unanimously.  
Respectfully submitted,  
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk  
City of Romulus, Michigan  
I, Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held January 11, 1993.  
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk  
City of Romulus, Michigan  
Publish: February 4, 1993

**CITY OF ROMULUS  
PUBLIC HEARING**  
Notice is hereby given that the Romulus City Council will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, February 22, 1993 at 7:00 p.m. in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174 to consider an Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate pursuant to P.A. 198 of 1974, as amended, for Air Conditioning Products, 30350 Ecorse Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174.  
**LEGAL DESCRIPTION**  
Land in the City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan Part of Section 7 T3S R9E, City of Romulus, Wayne County, Michigan, described as Lots 25 to 30 Inclusive Airway Industrial Center Sub No. 1 Liber 92 Pages 1-2 Wayne County Records.  
This is an open meeting! All interested citizens are invited to attend, and will be given an opportunity to comment on the proposal. Written comments may be forwarded no later than February 22, 1993 at 12 o'clock noon to the attention of:  
City of Romulus  
Linda R. Choate, City Clerk  
11111 Wayne Road  
Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485  
Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk  
City of Romulus, Michigan  
PUBLISH: February 4, 1993

**CITY OF ROMULUS  
NOTICE**  
The Romulus Planning Commission has scheduled a meeting to be held:  
Thursday, February 18, 1993  
7:30 p.m.  
Romulus City Hall Council Chambers  
11111 Wayne Road  
Romulus, Michigan 48174  
To consider a request for Special Approval Land Use to construct a telephone fiber optics building in a R1-A Single Family Residential zoned district on DP# 26-99-1-1, 8+ acre parcel of property located on the West side of Cogswell (South of Ecorse, North of McClaughrey Drain).  
  
Striped area indicates proposed site.  
All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to comment on said approval. Written comments may be submitted no later than 12:00 noon, Thursday, February 18, 1993 and directed to the attention of David Paul, Director Building, Safety and Engineering at the above address.  
Linda R. Choate, CMC Clerk  
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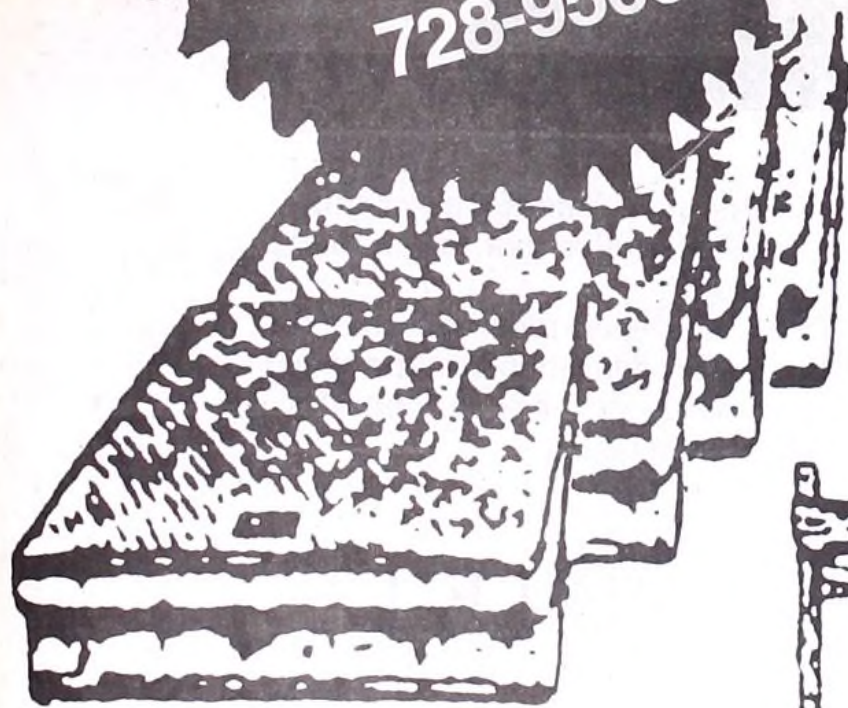
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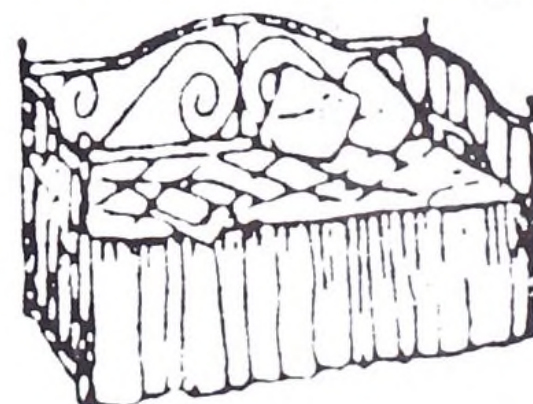
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## Taxes top priorities

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

Twenty Second District State Rep. Greg Pitoniak, D-Taylor, newly elected Romulus state legislator, feels like most in government today that a reform of school taxes will be the top priority of the year for those in Lansing.

But Romulus City Councilman Jimmie Raspberry is not content with sitting back and hoping that state legislators will spring into action on their own as the opening gong is sounded Wednesday for the 1993 legislative session.

"I think all local mayors and council members throughout the state should stage a march on Lansing and demand tax reform now," Raspberry said last Monday night.

Pitoniak said both parties



Gregory Pitoniak

probably will wait to see what Gov. John Engler presents in his "State of the State" message on the tax reform issue.

He feels that the Republicans will quickly fall in line behind Engler and then the Democrats will decide whether they should try to alter the Republican plan or to introduce their own.

## Stormy weather

### Rain showers replaced seasonable snowfalls

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER  
Belleville City Editor

Instead of zipping up their jackets and parkas each day, western Wayne County residents have been alternating between umbrellas and raincoats and more seasonable apparel.

Last month, a record-breaking 1.59 inches of rain fell in western Wayne County resulting in flooded streets, parking lots, lawns and low-lying fields. Later in the same week, the rains ended and the temperatures fell. Snow showers and cold weather followed.

Since the beginning of the year, powerful snowstorms have dropped several feet of snow in the mountains of California and several inches of snow throughout the Midwest.

However, to the dismay of skiers, sledders and ice skaters, only a trace of snow has fallen locally this month.

Precipitation has been more like that of April than January, according to many residents.

According to weather experts, the normal snowfall is approximately 40 inches for this year. In the past five years, snowfall dropped dramatically below the normal range during two winters - 1988-89 with 25 inches of snow and 1990-91 with 31 inches of snow.

Almost 50 inches of snow fell during the winter of 1986-87. The following year, 45 inches of snow was recorded in the metropolitan Detroit area and almost 42 inches were recorded in the winter of 1989-90.

Snowfalls in the metro-

politan area have averaged 10.7 inches in December, 9.6 inches in January and 8.1 inches in February during the 1940s to 1980s. The maximum amount of snow which fell in December during the past four decades was 34 inches. A 29-inch snowfall was recorded one January and 17.4 inches was the record snowfall for a February. The largest snowfall recorded in the metropolitan area was 38.4 inches in February, 1908.

Readers of the *Old Farmer's Almanac* are not too surprised at the relatively mild weather and rainfall.

In its 1993 edition, the almanac predicted "warm spells, interspersed with brief cold snaps, and moderately heavy precipitation through January."

The almanac predicted

heavy rains and warming temperatures during the first week of January.

"More wintry weather should set in during early February and persist through March, except for mild spells in mid-February and mid-March," according to the almanac.

Area residents who are hoping for a pleasant summer can look forward to "a warm spell in the second week of May which will usher in more normal temperatures in June, with only some heavy rains in the east in June, bringing above-normal precipitation," according to the almanac. "July through September will average colder than normal due to frequent cool spells, while less than normal shower activity will prevail except during late July."

## Barns

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know Congressman Ford wants more dollars for education.

"He's going to have a big voice in what is going to happen in education," Barns added.

She is also hopeful that citizens won't sit back and wait for things to happen.

"As citizens and legislators, we have to share with our congressman our concerns," Barns said.

Barns is also concerned about senior citizens. When property taxes increase, senior citizens or people on fixed incomes find it difficult to afford the tax increase.

"For senior citizens who have purchased (Certificates of Deposit) CDs, when the interest goes down their incomes go down," Barns said.

Barns expects the auto insurance issue to once again surface.

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# Good neighbor

## Retirement will not dampen manager's friendship

By PATRICIA BROWN  
ANP News Editor

To residents at Willow Creek Apartments and in Westland, Nora Hardin will always be their neighbor.

Hardin has been the manager of the apartment complex located on Newburgh Road in Westland for 18 years, but last year she decided to retire and officially retired as of last month.

"I'm not going away, I'm going to live right here," Hardin said. "I told the residents that I'm going to live here and be like a hawk watching over them."

It was Hardin and her late husband Jim who are credited for making Willow Creek a first-class apartment complex that was especially attractive to senior citizens.

"The demands for new innovative ideas to present to Willow Creek became a where do we start campaign and it all began in Washington D.C. in the early 70s with the slogan 'Very Important People,'" said Joe Benyo Westland resident and city council liaison. "A new beginning arose with the idea of presenting Willow Creek as the best place for seniors to live, and find the caring attitude of a complex with 432 units was a challenge beyond ones imagination."

In order to obtain those goals, Hardin made it a priority to learn about the city, officials and the residents.

She began inviting components of the community to relate with residents of Willow Creek. The complex is also home to several younger families and single residents.

"Nora involved the fire department by having them bring a display, as well as the police department bringing patrol cars to the apartments to answer questions," Hardin said. "She even invited the United States Army Band."

Hardin also started monthly brunches, card clubs, craft classes and other activities. It wasn't her ability to provide entertainment that made Willow Creek a desirable place to live, according to Benyo.

"The greatest experience observed by most of those who know Nora is that everyone trusted her, and realized that apartment living could be a joy and they began telling their friends," Benyo said. "The word spread like wildflowers, and people began to come to Willow Creek because of



Nora Hardin demonstrates the winning smile that always welcomed residents and visitors to Willow Creek Apartments in Westland where she has been the manager for 18 years. ANP photo by Larry Divizio.

Nora's understanding of the needs of others and how to address those needs as a family."

Although Hardin no longer serves as the manager of the complex, she will still work with the management company of the apartments--Wingate Management. "I haven't purchased the rocking chair yet," Hardin said. "I just changed direction and retired from apartment managing."

"I feel like I planted a seed," Hardin said describing her years at the apartment complex. "I nurtured it and I watched it grow. Now I'm going to sit back and enjoy its fragrances."

She will also remain involved in the community and the many organizations she has been active in, and the list is long.

Currently she is the vice-president of the Westland Chamber of Commerce Executive Board, the president of the Business Professional Women's group, the Westland Housing Commission and the Youth Living Center Board of Directors. Other groups she has par-

ticipated in throughout the years include: the Senior Citizens Advisory Council, Westland 25th Anniversary Committee, The Drug Abuse Resistance Education program, the Family Center, the Norwayne Task Force, the 911 Enhanced Committee, Community Development Block Grant Advisory Council, Fire Education Committee, Russian Host Committee, Chinese Host Committee and most recently she was named the Westland Chamber of Commerce Person of the Year.

Last week, residents at Willow Creek hosted a party to thank Hardin for the many years she served as manager of the complex. They may have expressed their gratitude, but Hardin believes she is the fortunate one. She referred to retirement as, "a beginning of a new life."

"If you can give to others, you will receive more than you ever give," Hardin said. "It's giving to those people who would never know what a normal life is if no one cared."

Although Hardin focused a great deal of time and energy in fighting causes for senior citizens, she intends to redirect her efforts toward another segment of the population. Just like she did with senior citizens 18 years ago, Hardin is prepared to plant another seed.

"There is a new generation out there and they need our help," Hardin said. "If we could put all our resources into our youth we could make a difference. We need to put as much into our youth as we can."

"We need to make them look around and find a purpose in life and make them want to fulfill that purpose," she added.

She hopes her dreams of people helping one another will become reality.

"I want to be able to go out and live in a beautiful community, where everyone looks out for one another," Hardin said.

Hardin has already created that community within the boundaries of Willow Creek, but now she would like to see that community grow throughout the city.



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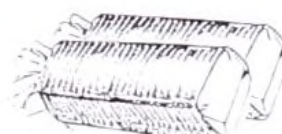
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# Opinion

## The sins of the past

As we watch the media criticism of fledgling President Bill Clinton, we cannot help but smile just a bit.

Perhaps it is the privilege of watching our professional counterparts finally feeling the sting of equality that prompts our amusement, or perhaps it is an "I suspected so" attitude. We really ought to be ashamed.

But then, so should the small cadre of influential and long-time Washington D.C. reporters who have, for too many years, had the inside track in opinion shaping and influence in the capital of our country. These reporters and journalists (yes, there is a difference) have for far too long in our opinion had far too much influence and control over what the nation and the country reads and hears.

They are the ones now screaming as the new president and his staff have curtailed their special privileges and access to information. The new administration has had the audacity to decree that all reporters and journalists will have equal access to information and that this elite corps will no longer be the designers of public opinion.

That may account for the unprecedented short honeymoon Mr. Clinton has enjoyed. No other new president has experienced such a short period of favor with the press, it would appear. While attempting to keep his campaign pledge regarding military policies, the man is being vilified as attempting to corrupt the defense of our country. As he acts on his publicly announced opinions regarding abortion, there is a hue and cry. Why are these actions a surprise? The man is doing exactly as he said he intended to do during his campaign, and yet some members of the press are reacting as if he's not said a word about his opinions during the campaign.

We submit that were he subscribing to the business as usual with these opinion makers in Washington, the reaction to his policies and actions might be entirely different. As it is, he is being regarded, even by those who supported his election, with suspicion and a measure of hostility.

The American people have been deceived too often by too many to be the trusting lambs they once might have been. Mr. Clinton faces not only the inordinate challenges of the office he has assumed, but the hostility and suspicion generated by the failures and actions of his predecessors.

He faces the challenge of a country in an economic crisis desperately in need of rebuilding. He faces the scrutiny of his every action and the inherent criticism of any special interest group affected by the budget and spending cuts he threatened during his campaign.

There will be more howling of dismay. There will be more criticism of his actions from every quarter affected by the cuts and actions he and his administration implement.

But the howls of dismay are remarkable to us as a representation of the surprise of both seasoned reporters and political pundits who were evidently asleep during the presidential campaign. Or perhaps it is just the surprise of seeing an elected official do as he said he would.

As for us, we'll wait and see.

## Congratulations

The news that a new medical building will be built in the City of Wayne coming the same week as the announcement of the relocation of Wayne Community Living Services in the city deserves a nod of recognition from the entire area.

For many, many years, Wayne has been fighting for new businesses and new development. Neighbors in Westland and Canton Township have seen incredible retail and industrial growth while Wayne had to continue to depend on the expansion at the Ford Motor Co. plant for growth. These two announcements can only be a breath of hope for the city.

We congratulate the city officials who worked long and diligently to persuade the moving of the service office to the Metro Place Mall, bringing 250 jobs to the city.

We hope this is the beginning of a trend and that more development and growth will follow.



## Change in immigration act is suggested

To the editor:

It is time that Congress consider legislation that will place a moratorium on all legal immigration, except for immediate relatives of U.S. citizens. My reasons are: (1) Under the new Immigration Act of 1990, over 700,000 immigrants may legally enter this country each year. However, these figures do not include refugees (about 140,000 in 1992), asylees, parolees, special agricultural workers, or dependents of legalized aliens. Collectively, these numbers amount to over 1.1 million legal immigrants each year, a 40 percent increase over our old immigration act. Did Congress ever consider whether such a huge influx of immigrants may be economically assimilated? Did Congress ever consider that the United States now lets in more legal immigrants to our country than the rest of the world combined?

(2) Those immigrants entering the labor market will be doing so at a time when many of our collect graduates cannot find decent jobs and almost all of our high school graduates cannot find decent full-time jobs. With a national unemployment rate of slightly over 7 percent and a Michigan unemployment about 8 percent, why won't these new immigrants exacerbate our unemployment and underemployment problems?

(3) For those new immigrants that will require public assistance, the costs of public welfare for the past fiscal year have been estimated well in excess of three billion dollars and will be largely borne by state and local taxpayers. At a time when many federal and local programs are already experiencing dire funding shortages it makes no sense to increase the pool of welfare applicants.

(4) George J. Borjas, professor of economics at the University of California at Santa Barbara in his book *Friends or Strangers—The Impact of Immigrants on the U.S. Economy* writes that on average, immigrants in recent waves have relatively less schooling, weaker labor market attachments, higher unemployment

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rates, lower wage rates, higher poverty rates, and higher rates of welfare participation than immigrants in the waves that arrived in the 1950s and 1960s. Hence, this would seem to portend unfavorable economic consequences in the long run for the U.S. economy. Yet, because our immigration laws tend to favor the principle of family unification over the principle of labor skills, education, age, etc. one cannot but help question the economic wisdom of our immigration policy.

In conclusion, Congress ought to repeal the Immigration Act of 1990 sections that deal with lawful immigration and replace these sections with a moratorium. If it turns out that later on we discover we have too few immigrants we can always turn the spigot on again. However, if we continue with our current Immigration Act of 1990 and we later realize we have a policy that is not in our national interest, we obviously may discover that our immigration policy may have had a deleterious impact on our economy.

James R. McLaughlin  
Wayne

## Observatory supported

To the editor:

I have talked with Charles Johnson about his proposed botanical observatory and support the idea. It is a quality idea for a tourist attraction for Wayne. It is wholesome and would be interesting for children and adults.

In addition, he mentioned shuttle buses or a shuttle bus from Metro Airport. My only recommendation was that he add an additional tour to Willow Run Air Museum. Also a small film theater to show nature films and that plant life displayed be for food or non-medicinal in value or only natural non drug.

Mr. Johnson mentioned desert as well as jungle plant life and I suppose temperate and rain forest plants. I mentioned an Ecorse from the freeway route to Willow Run as an added attraction of interest as well as a possible rundown I-275 south to Monroe to the fi-

ber optic display in the 1812 museum or the other museums and a run into Wayne to his observatory.

If a survey taken of Metro Airport passengers would delay a flight and show an interest in any one of these three excursions as regards cost, time involved, their perceptions of safety in the metro area like any area and whether they would stay one night in a motel here or would be interested only in a three-hour excursion or one day.

The other consideration was the temperature zone of comfort for tourists and plants, costs of fuel like any greenhouse, jobs, two attendants, drivers, maintenance, projectionist minus take or profit margin.

Tom Voss  
Wayne

## Cable operator is criticized

To the editor:

As a public access volunteer for Omnicon and Plymouth Township resident, I take an interest in the current contractual negotiations between Omnicon and our local governmental units.

My experience with the Canton Omnicon offices has shown the entire staff to be diligent and dedicated. Many of the staff work exhausting long hours, covering events in our community such as pancake breakfasts that begin early in the morning or election coverage, which runs late into the night. These handful of Omnicon employees are to be commended for their willingness with a limited staff and equipment, to provide training, equipment, support, personnel to serve the interests of this area.

One can't help but get the feeling that they are dealing with an old-fashioned "Mom and Pop" operation when working the people at Omnicon. They always do their best and go the extra mile to assist you in your endeavor.

But Omnicon is far from a small "Mom and Pop" operation. Its big business.

How big? For example, my one household is paying \$23 a month for basic cable service x 12 months = \$276 a year. Multiply that by the 35,000 customer households Omnicon claims to service, that's over \$9 mil-

lion, \$9,600,000 in gross income to be exact.

As any businessman knows, the cost of doing business is high. Omnicon pays \$500,000 in fees and \$290,000 in Canton taxes plus its 64 employees' salaries. Let's estimate that the average employee makes \$15 per hour, some less, others with a technical background slightly more, that would still leave a profit figure somewhere in the ballpark of \$7 million.

It is conceivable then that Omnicon is in a position to bet competitive; hire additional personnel, upgrade programming and studio operations, and purchase more equipment.

My role behind the camera taping the township meetings is to communicate what is happening with our government to local taxpayers. I have recently learned that Omnicon continues to feel it can not provide equipment or personnel for live coverage of the township meetings, but rather that Plymouth Township is prepared to pay a person (s) to ensure coverage. In light of Plymouth Township's present budget crisis, I fail to see why we, the taxpayers would be asked to add people to the township payroll when Omnicon could be providing this service? Last time I checked, Plymouth Township was not in a million dollar profit position, as is Omnicon. Are our township elected officials protecting the taxpayers to ensure that we are receiving the maximum service for our dollars?

Plymouth Township is in a position to cancel Omnicon and bring in any one of several other cable companies willing and able to meet local consumer demands. That's called healthy competition. It ensures that the consumer gets the most for his money.

It is Omnicon's responsibility to meet the needs and expectations of the community which they service, not the local governmental unit. It is the government's responsibility, representing the taxpayers, to contract the most services at the least cost to the consumers. So far, it's not happening—perhaps its time to start to negotiate with someone other than Omnicon.

Julia Ann Hoglen,  
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# Wayne-Westland teachers offered retirement incentive

By PATRICIA BROWN  
ANP News Editor

Teachers, central office administrators and principals in the Wayne-Westland school district are being offered a \$24,000 incentive to retire.

School board members approved the Early Retirement Incentive plan Monday night. Last year, board members approved a plan for teachers in the district and school officials called the effort a success and an effective cost-cutting tool.

Seventy-seven teachers retired at the end of the 1991-92 school year making it the most successful ERI plan the district has ever offered.

Associate Superintendent of Employee Services Bill Taylor cited the savings to the district as approximately \$1.7 million.

Teachers received the incentive dollars within a two-

year period, he added. This year it cost the district \$28,000, but next year the district will benefit from the \$1.7 million dollar savings, officials said.

Most of the teachers who replaced the long-time employees, were hired at a much lower salary level. For the price of one experienced teacher, district officials were able to hire two teachers lower on the salary schedule, officials stated.

Although he doesn't predict the plan will be as successful

this year as it was last year, Taylor still believes the district will incur savings.

"Timing is everything with an ERI," Taylor said. "We were very fortunate in securing an ERI as late in the year as we did last year."

"It is also important in terms of administrators taking the ERI," Taylor said. "We would need some additional time to secure new administrators."

All three employee groups are offered the same package

approved by members of the board for teachers last year. The only difference is the number of employees who can accept the proposal.

"We did place a cap on how many can go," Taylor said. "No more than 12 building administrators can go and there are 39 members in that union."

"In the central office administrators union we did not place a cap," Taylor said. "There are 39 members in that union also."

At least 25 teachers must ap-

ply for the incentive before it would go into effect. No more than 100 teachers can apply for the incentive, according to Taylor.

The savings for the number of teachers who apply can reach approximately \$2 million dollars depending on how many teacher decide to retire, officials stated.

"The (savings) is not as quick for administrators taking the ERI," Taylor said. "How quickly we recoup dollars with administrators ERI

depends on who fills the positions."

School board member and former Wayne Memorial High School principal Francis "Bud" Winter questioned whether the possible change to the middle-school concept would be hampered by the loss of experienced building administrators.

Within the next month, school officials are expected to offer a similar plan to the remaining employee groups in the district.

## Murder trial continues

A Feb. 5 evidentiary hearing has been scheduled for a Canton Township man charged with murder in Detroit Wayne County Recorder's Court.

Frederick Lane Morris, 34, is charged by the Wayne Police Department with first-degree murder, felony murder, armed robbery and one count of felony firearm in the death of Wayne business owner Charles Piper.

Piper, 53, of Westland, was shot to death last year at his establishment, Chuck's Cycle Service on Michigan Avenue in Wayne.

Morris was arraigned March 30, 1992 in Recorder's Court. He is being held without bond.

Various witnesses testified last year during a two-week examination at the 29th District Court before Judge Carolyn Archbold.

If Morris is found guilty of first-degree murder and felony murder charges, he could face a double life sentence in prison. The armed robbery charge carries a sentence up to life, and possession of a felony firearm is a two-year sentence, according to Webb.

## Can enzyme regimen end obesity?

WASHINGTON — A nutritional research organization says that a special enzyme regimen can promote extremely fast, yet safe weight loss.

National Dietary Research, an organization whose research topics have been the subject of articles published in recent medical and nutritional journals, says that the regimen called the Metabolase Plus Thermogenic Weight Loss System utilizes biological information often overlooked in diet programs. With the Metabolase Plus System, you consume at least 6 meals a day from a wide variety of foods followed by the enzymes to overcome the body's natural resistance to weight loss.

To demonstrate the effectiveness, NDR sponsored a promotion where free samples were given to 50 people. The results found that women following the regimen lost over a pound a day and men lost over two pounds a day. The director of research and development at NDR cautions that these results may not necessarily be indicative of what the average consumer could expect because the rate of weight loss for individuals varies.

A firm located in Tampa, Florida has exclusive distribution rights to the enzyme regimen. The Metabolase Plus Thermogenic Weight Loss System is available through physicians, pharmacies, and health food stores without a prescription. However, because of the overwhelming demand, quantities are sometimes limited.

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# Sports

## Zebras are 12-0

### Like a snowball on a hill, Wayne Memorial team continues to roll

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

Like a snowball heading down a hill, Wayne continues to roll.

"We're coming off of a strong week," said Wayne Memorial High School cage coach Chuck Henry after his charges packed away a pair of easy victories at the expense of Trenton and Monroe.

"If we can remain focus and stay on target, the crescendo will build just like a snowball going down a hill."

Wayne hit Trenton more like an avalanche than a snowball Friday night. In fact, the Trojans probably didn't know what hit them. They fell to the

undefeated defending Wolverine 'A' Conference champs, 79-46, on Friday. A couple of days earlier, Wayne also crushed a listless Monroe team, 96-55.

With one exception - Belleville - Wayne probably could have dictated the scores against their conference rivals. Belleville, loser to Wayne by one-point, remains a threat to the Wayne plans for a repeat title.

The two Wayne victories last week stretched the Zebras' winning streak on the season to 12. It is one of the longest basketball win streaks in the recent school history.

Trenton couldn't handle the Wayne balanced scoring attack

*"They have a little more height than we do, but we'll be looking in the mirror when we look at style. They press well and their defense will capitalize on your mistakes. It should be a good game."*

- Chuck Henry

Wayne Memorial High School cage coach

and speed. The Trojans did, however, stay in the game for the first eight minutes. They trailed by a basket (15-13) after one period.

Then, Wayne went on an 8-0 run, built up a 41-28 lead at halftime before turning the game into a rout by outscoring

their conference rivals 24-8 in the third period. In that third stanza, eight different Wayne players scored.

Nate Bishop and Gerald Adams led the Wayne assault. The 6-1 Bishop tossed in 15 points and collected 13 rebounds while Adams also sank

15 points. Teammate Rod Hardison accounted for 10 points.

Last Tuesday, Wayne jumped out in front 23-8 in the first-period against Monroe and never looked back. The Zebras had an insurmountable 47-19 advantage at the halfway mark, then outscored their rivals 27-16 and 22-20 in the final two periods.

Adams again had an excellent night as he drilled 16 points to top all others. Dontez Prewitt contributed 15 while Andrea Graves finished with 14 points. Hardison also scored in double figures. He had 12 points.

Wayne placed its 12-0 record on the block Tuesday night

against visiting Ypsilanti. The Braves have been a hot-and-cold team this year, but they could generate enough heat to melt that rolling Wayne snowball.

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On Friday, Wayne will return to conference competition when they entertain Wyandotte on the home court. The Zebras trampled Wyandotte by 17 points the first time around and there are no indications that the second time around will be any different.

## Defense paying off for Rockets

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

Defense is paying off dividends and boosting the Westland John Glenn stock in the Western Lakes basketball conference.

"It's our overall team defense that is getting the job done," said Rocket coach Mike Schuette after Glenn knocked off Farmington 76-53 and destroyed Livonia Churchill 58-47 in their two conference meetings last week.

*"North has a very scrappy and talented team. Defense again will play an important role in the outcome of this game."*

- Mike Schuette  
Rocket coach

"Everyone is contributing. It's something we must continue to do if we are going to stay in contention."

While Glenn's defense held Farmington to four points in the third period, the offense went to work. The Rockets' 41-26 halftime lead mushroomed into a 30-point balloon as the Westlanders coasted to their ninth victory in 10 starts.

Five Glenn cagers scored in double figures: Tony Goins' 17 points were tops for the game; Aaron Scheffer counted 13; Ken Taylor chipped in 12, while Guy Rucker and Dave Mruk contributed 10 points apiece.

Farmington received a 16-point performance from Scott Menser.

The Rockets' defense also was the magnet that held Churchill to single digits in each of the first three periods as a balanced scoring assault paved the way for a 20-point lead (45-25) for three periods. The Chargers came back and made the game look closer than it really was. They outscored the Westlanders 22-13 in the final period.

Taylor again scored in double figures (12) and also collected a dozen rebounds. Teammate John Miller added 10 points.

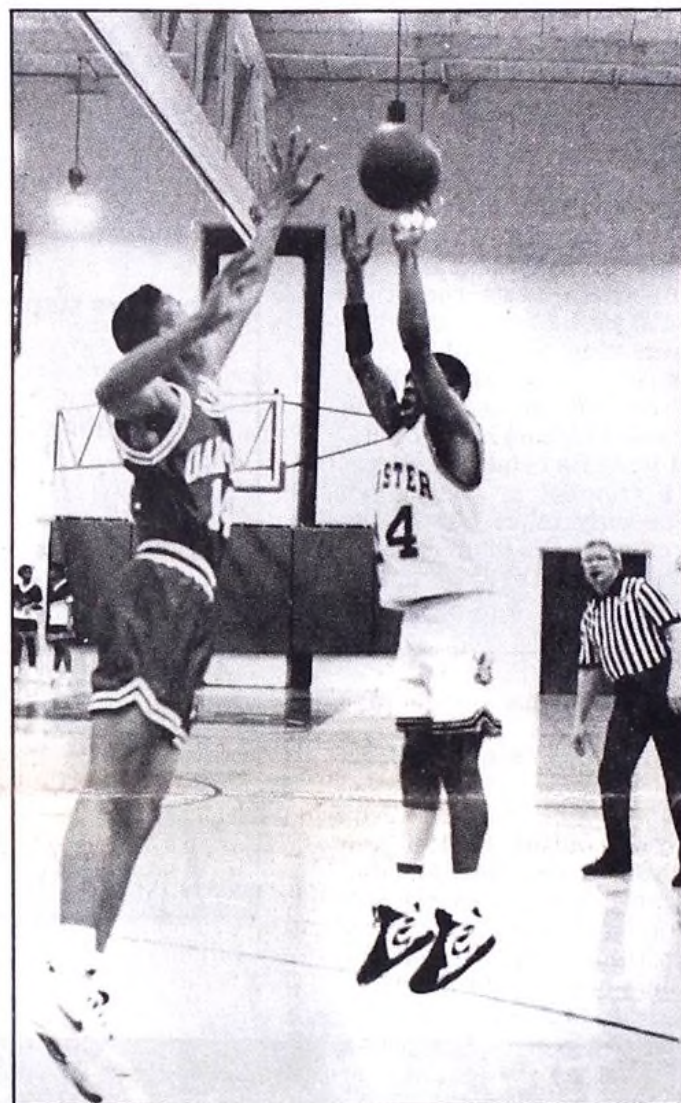
The Rockets will turn their sights on North Farmington Friday night after clashing with an unpredictable Livonia Franklin Tuesday evening.

"North has a very scrappy and talented team," Schuette said. "Defense again will play an important role in the outcome of this game."



## Waiting for the big one

Encircled by Oak Park defenders, Inkster's James Outlaw (40) has position but gets a shove out of the picture (above, at left) and from beneath the boards by an unidentified cager who pays for the infraction with a personal foul. However, the Knights were in command of the game and picked up the Suburban Athletic Conference win, 84-59. In the photo at right, Inkster playmaker Michael Sykes (14) has his sights on the basket, despite the outstretched efforts of an Oak Park player. Coach Spencer Grant and the Vikings hope that they will have their missing link in the lineup with the return of Alvin White. White is considered one of the finest sophomore cagers in the state this year. He was forced to sit out the first part of the season because of ineligibility due to a transfer from Bishop Borgess. White's appearance in the Viking lineup may be good news for Inkster fans, but bad for natural rival, Robichaud. The Bulldogs are the first to test the rejuvenated Vikings. The two arch rivals will their rematch Friday at Inkster High. In their first meeting earlier this season, the Bulldogs surfaced with the win. ANP photo by Larry Divizio



## This one's a 'must'

### Salem cagers take on undefeated Central

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

No one has to stress the importance of the Friday night basketball game at Walled Lake Central to Plymouth Salem or coach Bob Brodie.

It's one of those games that are "must wins" for a title hopeful in the Western Lakes Conference.

Central is undefeated, ranked near the top in the state Class A polls, and Brodie is quick to point out: "They (Central) are the class of the conference this year."

Brodie apparently is willing to yield that dubious honor to Central, especially after the slow death he and his previously undefeated Rocks suffered last week at the hands of Farmington Harrison. Salem blew a 16-point cushion in the last period and lost the shootout, 95-94, at the buzzer on an incredulous three-point shot from the corner by triple-teamed Keye Smith.

It may take a long time before the memory of that game is erased from Brodie's mind.

But that is in the past. Central is the next challenge for the Rocks.

"Our kids know the importance of this game," noted Brodie, whose club is 10-1 on the season. "Central's record speaks for itself. They are the conference champs, and we share the division title with them."

The debacle at Harrison apparently continued to haunt Salem later in the week as the Rocks got off to a precarious start Friday night against North Farmington. North worked its way to a 10-7 first-period lead and the Rocks looked as if they were still suffering from the shock caused by Harrison's sensational comeback.

But, as they have in recent weeks, the Slone twins - Mike and Brandon - snapped the Rocks out of their doldrums. Mike Slone tossed in 13 of his game-high 22 points in the last period that staked Salem to a 28-point period and a 64-51 victory over Raiders.

Up to the fourth, the outcome of the game remained undecided. Salem came back from that 10-7 deficit to take a 22-20 edge

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- Bob Brodie

at halftime. Outscoring their hosts 14-10 in the third period, the Rocks managed to stay out front 36-30 as the fourth period started.

Brandon Slone came up with 14 points and James Head, who counted 10 points and an equal number of rebounds, also was in double scoring figures.

Now, back to the incredible Harrison-Salem shootout.

Harrison scored a school and probably what could be a conference record-setting record (42 points) in the last period that capped a phenomenal one of its kind for high school rally. Harrison, down by as much as 16 points in the fourth-period, refused to buckle.

"We switched defenses four times and still continued stop them," Brodie noted. Despite the heroics of Mike and Brandon Slone, who scored career highs 37 and 30 points, respectively, Salem saw its 16-point third period (69-53) lead challenged early.

Smith, who led the charge, had three treys and Ryan Cahill, who had seven treys for the evening, sank two of them in the stretch.

Harrison was willing to gamble by intentionally fouling their rivals in hopes of gaining possession of the ball. The maneuver worked. Although Salem canned 13 of their 18 fourth-period charities, it didn't stop the Hawks.

Cahill finished with 24 points while Jeremy Peachman, the coach's son, added 21. Smith turned in with 19 for the winners, who also made 20 of their 29 free throws.

## Wayne zeroes in on hockey crown

Undefeated Wayne Heating & Cooling is one-victory away from capturing the 1992-93 Wayne-Westland Over 30 regular season hockey championship.

Wayne maneuvered into that enviable position with an easy victory over Howell Tool & Gage last week. One more victory by Wayne or a loss by Sportswear Design, its closest challenger, will seal it for the frontrunners.

Against Howell, Wayne received goals from Drew Hurley, Jeff Addley, Tim McNamarra and Jim Knipp. Dan Robert, Harry Kuk and Jay Middaugh got credit for assists.

Howell eluded the shutout thanks to Dan Zywick, who scored the loser's lone goal.

In other Over 30 action, Jake's Again and N/C Servo skated to a 4-4 tie. Ron Wowski scored twice for Jake's, while Phil Cerne and Jake Davidson counted solo goals. Teammates Bob Parkin, Al Farina, Paul Briski and Rick Mullen turned in with assists.

On the other side of the score sheet, Ed Harmon came through with two goals for N/C Servo, while Dave Franklin scored once and Tim Dettloff chipped in the tying goal. Joe Wiatr and John Kunz had assists.

N/C Servo entered the week with an impressive 12-5-2 record.

In the meantime, Little Bill's Trophy built a late 6-5 lead then dropped a 7-6 decision to rallying Sportswear Design.

Little Bill's Steve Wildman put the puck in the net twice, but all in vain. Mike Greer, Paul Roe, Ron Clements and Rob Harrington added single scores for the winners. Roe also finished with three assists.

It was Dennis LaPense who pulled Sportswear out of the losing and into the winning column. He scored the tying and then came back with the winning goal in the final minute. Jeff Wozniak helped the winners with a pair of goals while Ed Schechter and Kevin Barbour each scored once.

In one of the great comebacks of the season, Garden City spotted Harlow Tire three goals then fought back and tied the game at 4-4. Igniting the rally were Mike Villemure and Paul Brown, who scored goals for GCA. Greg Barbaza fired in the final two goals that tied the game.

Norm Beasley, Doug Morrison, Jerry Peterson and Mark Santoni had assists.

Harlow Tire received two goals from Dave Fishwick, while Dave Milam and Bob Jones checked in with one

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# Inkster to host mat championships

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

Inkster may have at least two and possibly three No. 1 seeded wrestlers at the 1993 Suburban Athletic Conference (SAC) championships which will be staged at Inkster High School next week.

The SAC championships will bring together teams representing Oak Park, Willow Run, Highland Park and Inkster. River Rouge and Ecorse, the two remaining SAC members, did not field wrestling teams this year.

Fred Davis, the Inkster defending heavyweight champ, and Anthony Melchoir, a tough 103-pounder, are the Inkster favorites to walk off the mats on Wednesday with gold medals.

Inkster coach Sam Ellis said he also feels that Dushawn Williams, a 160-pounder, has an excellent chance for the gold.

# Glenn swimmers fall to Stevenson

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

Despite a superb performance from senior Matt Martin, Westland John Glenn swimmers on Thursday dropped a lopsided 136-59 decision to Livonia Stevenson.

And it doesn't get any better for coach Ron Staples' Rockets, who will meet Western Lakes Conference power Salem tonight in Plymouth.

"Salem has an outstanding program and we don't have the depth to match up with them," said Staples, who is in his second year as head coach.

Martin, one of the finest prep talents in the state this

# Hockey

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apiece.

Larry Holt, Darryl Nowacki and Arnie Cox had assists.

Alternative Funeral Services edged Independent Floor Covering, 6-5. Nick Palise and Jim Creekmore each notched a pair of goals for the winners. Dan Kubany and Jim McMaster scored a goal apiece. Phil Neal, Dave Hedger and Jerry Robertson picked up the assists. For the losers, Dave Zajac carded two goals and two assists. Dave Cherry, Bob Bowen and Moe Paquette each had a goal. Assists went to Jay Harris, Chuck Quint, Don Middaugh and Bob Black.

In another close encounter, Paddy's Pub managed also blew a 6-5 victory over the Top of the Lamp won column. Jerry Moses scored two goals while teammates Chuck Erickson, Dale Robert and

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The Vikings have an 0-2 SAC record and the sophomore team isn't expected to compete for the team championship.

At Harper Woods on Saturday, Davis returned to the mats after an injury had sidelined him for nearly two weeks. He pinned Memphis' Joe Giarradano in 22 seconds and turned back Eric Carchio of Harper Woods to emerge with the gold.

Melchoir, competing at 103, posted victories over Matt Singer of North Farmington (22 seconds) and James Wagner of Luther West, 8-2.

Royal Gaines, Inkster 189-pounder, finished fourth after losing to Ross Naz, 8-2, of Harper Woods in the consolation round. Gaines added victories over Lakeshore Kevin Cote and Tom Aikens of Clarenceville to his record.

The Vikings will travel to Clarenceville on Saturday to compete in an invitational.

year, captured a pair of first places against the Spartans. He turned in a 21.99 for a win in the 50-yard freestyle. He later returned to the pool and covered the 500-yard freestyle in the winning time of 5:02.0.

At the Western Wayne Invitational last month, Martin set an unofficial state record in the 100-yard backstroke when he was clocked in 51.31. The state record presently is 51.39. In order for the record to be recognized by the state, the record must be established during a regional or state meet.

The only other Glenn victory came on the diving boards where Tim Flores piled up 148 points.

Bob Johnson all contributed to the loser's cause. Greg Bonkowski and Sam Stavreski had assists.

Top of the Lamp received two goals off the stick of Walt Fischhoff, his second decided the game. Rod Mackenzie, Ray Matthews, Chuck Pankow and Rich Ergonis also scored. The winners have a 9-9-1 record as compared to Paddy's 8-9-2.

## Metro Detroit: the surprising market story

Detroit is a "city of suburbs."

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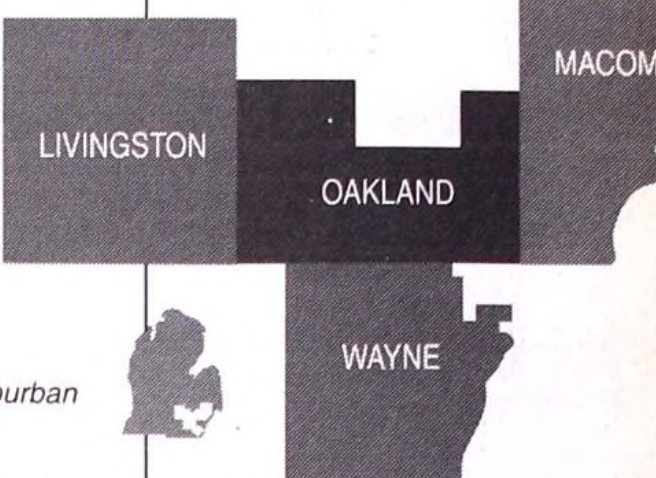
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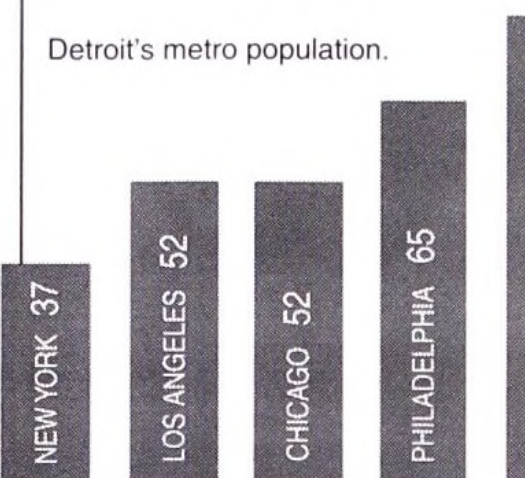
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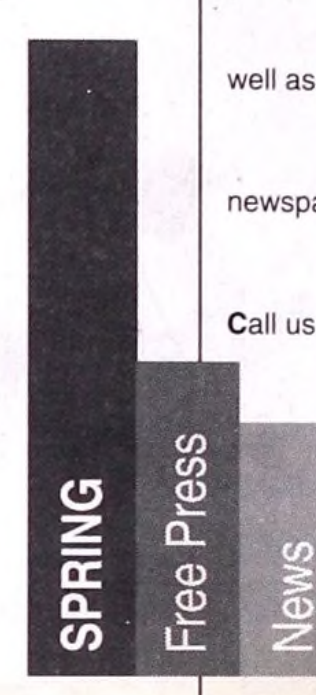
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# SUBURBAN Living



Gary Sandy (left) and Karen Valentine are lovers in the smash comedy *Breaking Legs* at the Fisher Theatre. Harry Guardino (right) portrayed Valentine's stage father who tried to match her up with every available bachelor. ANP Special Photo

## Breaking legs

Award winning actress enjoys gardening at home

by Margo Dewey  
Features Editor

When the spotlight of the Fisher Theatre hit center stage at the opening of *Breaking Legs* last week, all eyes were transfixed on one actress who seems to have captured the fountain of youth.

Karen Valentine received tremendous applause for her performance as Angie in Tom Dulack's comedy which centers around an entourage of shady characters and unknowledgeable investors who decide to bring their expertise to the production of a Broadway playwright.

Valentine's gorgeous figure, radiant smile and big brown eyes complement her talent as a seasoned actress who knows how to master any challenging role.

An Emmy award winner for her first television series *Room 222*, Valentine has had a very successful career. She said her love for acting began at a very young age when she performed for her family and friends.

"I always had the urge to entertain," Valentine said. "When my parents and I would go to friends' houses, and they would have kids that were my age, I would always put together a show."

"At the last minute, when we were going to perform, the other kids would back out, and I would do the whole show. This, I'm sure, became pretty much a pain to my parents' friends."

When Valentine entered high school, she said she enjoyed participating in drama classes.

"While I was in high school I entered a contest, the Miss Teenage America contest, and I won," Valentine said. "I went on to Dallas and represented our city (Santa Rosa, Calif.). While I was there they presented me with a talent award."

A talent scout from CBS was watching Valentine, and he was so impressed with her acting ability that he called Ed Sullivan.

"He called Ed Sullivan and said 'Watch the show because you have to see this girl,'" Valentine said. "He did watch and called and said 'I want that girl'."

"The following week my family and I flew to New York, and I was on the Ed Sullivan Show at 16 years old. He liked me enough to invite me back six months later."

Valentine had a big decision to make at that time because the talent scout wanted her to move to New York to further her career.

"He wanted to put me in professional school," Valentine said. "It was too much. I was only 16 years old from a chicken farm. I couldn't uproot my family so I decided to wait until I graduated from high school, and then I moved to Los Angeles."

Her career took a different turn to television at that point in her life instead of the theater.

After *Room 222* Valentine starred in her own series *Karen* which was written for her by Larry Gelbart. She made her Broadway debut in Bernard Slade's *Romantic Comedy*, taking over for Mia Farrow and continuing on with the national tour.

Off-Broadway she appeared in a number of productions including *New Listings*, *On the Bench* and John Ford Noonan's *The Raunchy Dame in the Chinese Raincoat*.

Valentine originated roles in *Girly*, *Girly and The Real McCoy* in Los Angeles and in the world premiere of *Beyond a Reasonable Doubt* at the Papermill Playhouse.

Around the country she has starred in *Summer and Smoke*, *Social Security*, *The Perfect Party*, *Theo For the Seesaw*, *The Voice of the Turtle*, *A Thousand Clowns*, *Born Yesterday*, *The Moon is Blue*, *Stop The World and Bus Stop*.



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Her television movie credits include: *Muggable Mary*, *A Fighting Chance*, *Children in the Crossfire*, *Money on the Side*, *Jane Doe*, *Skeezzer* (winner of the Peabody and Humanitas awards), *The Girl Who Came Gift Wrapped*, *He's Fired*, *She's Hired*, *The Daughters of Joshua*, *Cabe*, *Coffee*, *Tea or Me* and *Perfect People*.

Of all her performances, Valentine said she really enjoyed *Summer and Smoke*.

"It was quite exciting to work on this kind of material which is Tennessee Williams, very poetic," Valentine said. "I also did *Social Security* which was quite fun."

"I love doing comedy. I find comedy very rewarding. It's like instantly you know whether you're happening or not. You don't wait to find out in the editing room."

Valentine said she is enjoying *Breaking Legs*. She is the only female character in the production, working alongside other outstanding actors including Joseph Mascolo as Mike Francisco, Harry Guardino as Lou Graziano, Gary Sandy as Terence O'Keefe, Larry Storch as Frankie Salvucci and Vince Viverito as Tino De Felice.

"*Breaking Legs* is a fun piece," Valentine said. "Working with all of these great actors is like playing with great tennis players. It makes your game better."

In the future, Valentine said she would like to originate a role. "I would like to create or originate a role on Broadway," Valentine said. "I would love to be the toast of Broadway. If you can make it there, you can make it anywhere, you know."

"I'd also like to do another series if I can work with the caliber of people that I worked with in the past. I've been spoiled in the sense because I have worked with the best."

The most challenging role for this professional actress, however, was when Vincent Gardenia died during the production of *Breaking Legs*. Gardenia was to have played the role of Valentine's father on stage, Lou Graziano.

"It was an experience I never had before with doing *Breaking Legs*," Valentine said. "For Vincent Gardenia to have died, and we went on, that was a very unusual circumstance. That night, in the theater, it was like the audience and the cast, we were all devastated."

"Here we were going out to do a comedy. You hit the stage, and the audience was pulling for us. You feel the energy. I think that was one of the most difficult things I ever had to do."

Valentine said she approaches everything she does with an attitude that "you have to find what the root of something is."

"Especially with comedy, you have to go to the reality of it in order for it to work," Valentine said. "Otherwise, I don't think people will identify with it. Comedy is a fine line. It can be broad, but it has to have its root in reality."

Valentine is originally from northern California. She now lives in Connecticut with her husband, Gary Verna.

"It's something my husband and I always wanted to do," Valentine said. "We had been talking about moving there for 10 years and decided we might as well do it or maybe it will be too late."

When Valentine isn't performing, she enjoys gardening in her backyard.

"I'm actually sort of a workaholic," Valentine said. "I make curtains or I'll make a coat. But, gardening is big thing. In the middle of the winter, when it's the dead of winter, you'll find me with my seed catalogs."

"Come spring, all this stuff arrives. My girlfriend who lives down the road, she and I decided last year we were going to share the duties. We were going to share the planting and the harvest."

Valentine said she now has a cutting garden with flowers, a vegetable garden with tomatoes and beans.

"It's not so much work when you're sharing it with someone," Valentine said. "My life now is like a gypsy. We've been on the road since September, and we won't finish up until April. So it's just me and my suitcases."

"Gary flies to meet me, but he picks the good cities. In fact, he is coming to Detroit."

What is Valentine's motto for life, success?

"Have a short memory, and don't bump into the furniture," Valentine said.

*Breaking Legs* is on now through Feb. 14. Performances are 8 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Matinees are available 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Weekend evening performances are 7:30 p.m. Sunday and 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

For ticket prices contact all Ticket Master outlets or the Fisher Theatre at 872-1000.



OBITUARIES

Cook, Richard

Richard J. Cook Sr., 50, of Romulus, died Jan. 13, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Born in St. John on April 28, 1942, he was a medically retired production employee at General Motors. Survivors include his wife, Erma M. (Pelton) Cook; four sons, Richard J. Jr. and Darren A., both of Romulus, Brian K. of Westland and Donald R. of Lincoln Park;

Roberts, Brandon

Brandon Ray Roberts, 2 months, son of Kenneth Ray and Angela Kay (McClure) Roberts of Belleville, died Jan. 9, 1993. Other survivors include his grandparents, James and Delphine Flatt of Belleville and Peggy Russell of Northville. He was preceded in death by his great-grandparents and an aunt, Raynee Roberts. The funeral was at the David C. Brown Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert White, associate pastor of the Grace Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was at Knollwood Memorial Park of Canton Township.

two daughters, Mrs. Michael (Sheila) Tackett and Lori Cook, both of Romulus; four brothers, Robert of Belleville, Lester of New York, Donald of California and Leo of Hudson, Fla.; two sisters, Marion Lozon of Wayne and Betty Jane Dingus of Milgate, Fla., and six grandchildren. The funeral was at the Crane Funeral Home with the Rev. Earl Jones of Taylor Center Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in Romulus Cemetery.

McKee, Sophie

Sophie McKee, 67, of Canton, died Jan. 22, 1993. Survivors include three sons, William Stanley, Gordon Ray, Barry Jay; two daughters, Carolyn Hogan and Debra Cebula; four sisters, Anna Carawana, Lillian Moers, Virginia Collier and Theresa Boone; a brother, Leonard Pilachowski; and seven grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Gordon Robert; a son, Dean Robert; a sister, Stella Publiski; and a brother, William Pilachowski. The funeral was at St. Thomas A'Becket Church with the Rev. Matthew Ellis officiating. Interment was in Parkview Memorial Cemetery.

Molock, Minnie

Minnie Louise Molock, 56, of Inkster, died Jan. 15, 1993 at Garden City Hospital. Survivors include her husband, Richard E.; two daughters, April and Rachelle; three sisters, Bessie, Grace and Mildred; two brothers, Woody and Robert; and six grandchildren, Angel, Robin, John Jr., Anthony, Demetrius and Dominic. The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Thompson officiating. Interment was in the United Memorial Gardens.

Britton, Dillard

Dillard Britton, 78, of Detroit, died Jan. 17, 1993 at Detroit Riverview Hospital. Survivors include four brothers, Ellis and Walter Britton and Elmer and Bedford Rucker; a sister, Willie Rucker; and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. The funeral was at the Penn Funeral Home with Rev. Myrtle Morgan officiating. Interment was at Westlawn Cemetery.

Puente, Joaquin

Joaquin Puente, 84, of Wayne, died Jan. 3, 1993 at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital. Survivors include eight children, Isabelle, Vacilio, Bernardino, Roberto, Maria, Daniel, Ramone and Susana; 25 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home with Pastor James Guerrero officiating. Interment was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Pacola, Ida

Ida Pacola, 76, of Romulus, died Jan. 18, 1993 at Heritage Hospital in Taylor. Born on Aug. 13, 1916 in Edgar, Mon., she was a retired factory worker. Survivors include a son, Charles Wastchowski of California, and a brother, John Pacola of Luther, Mich. The funeral was at the Crane Funeral Home with the Rev. Marvin Hewbaker of Calvary Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in Michigan Memorial Park of Flat Rock.

Weis, Dean

Dean C. Weis Jr., 50, of Monroe, died Jan. 24, 1993 at home. Survivors include his wife, Sharon; five children, Dean C. III, Laura Ann, Debi Lynn, Heather Ann and Joshua Allen; five brothers and sisters, Virginia, Catherine, Dorothy, Dutch and Dale; and three grandchildren. The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home with Pastor Calvin D. Long officiating.

Dunbar, Kenneth

Kenneth L. Dunbar, 72, of Canton, died Jan. 3, 1993 at Mount Sinai Hospital. Survivors include two sisters, Edith Nelson and Beatrice Scherer. He was predeceased by his wife, Genevieve. The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home and St. Stephens Church with the Rev. Wyttrw officiating. Interment was in Michigan Memorial Cemetery.

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Thomas, Robert

Robert P. Thomas, 68, of Wayne, died Jan. 6, 1993 at Allen Park Veterans Hospital.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; two daughters, Marsha (Tom) Sweetman of El Ahon, Cal. and Sue (Terry) Smith of Westland; a brother, Albert J. of Sanbernadino; a sister, Betty Stanik of Redford, and four grandchildren, Eric and Brian Sweetman of California and Erin and Blake Smith of Westland.

The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home with Pastor John Kershaw officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens.

Sietz, Joseph

Joseph A. Sietz, 85, of Belleville, died Jan. 24, 1993 at Beyer Hospital.

A former proprietor of a general store in Sumpter Township for many years, he was a member of the St. Anthony Catholic Church and the Belleville Rotary Club. He also was a past Rotary Club president.

Survivors include his wife, Helen; a son, Richard (Grace) Sietz of Trenton; a daughter, Mary Ann (Bill) Sietz of Belleville; four grandchildren and a sister, Clara Bokon of Belleville.

The funeral was at David C. Brown Funeral Home of Belleville with Deacon Peter Cornell officiating. Cremation rites were accorded.

Davis, Dwayne

Dwayne Cornell Davis, 17, of Detroit, died Jan. 15, 1993 at Detroit Receiving Hospital.

Survivors include his mother, Shirley A. Davis; four sisters, Beverly, Selena, Larenda and Octavia; three brothers, James, Michael and Sean; eight nieces, Mary, Laquisha, Nikia, Marciela, Brittany, LaTea, Alasia and Keosha; seven nephews, Maurice, James Jr., Jervon, Brandon, Michael Jr., Joshua and Jordan; and two sisters-in-law, Darnella and Latonya.

The funeral was at the Second Baptist Church of Romulus with the Rev. E. Glaze Sr. officiating. Arrangements were completed by the Penn Funeral Home.

Evans, Costella

D. Costella Evans, 86, of Wayne, died Jan. 23, 1993.

She was predeceased by her husband, J. Brittian.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Geneva Roebuck; a sister, Mrs. Alice Nutt; three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with Dr. Weldon Spacklen officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Domanke, Eugene

Eugene B. Domanke, 64, former administrator of the Wayne- Westland Schools for 30 years, died Jan. 15, at his Livonia home.

Survivors include his wife, Mildred; and two sons, Steven and Leonard.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Rosemarie Seeger; a son, Bernard Domanke; and a nephew, Richard Seeger.

The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home followed by a mass at St. Mary's Church with Father Paul Panaretos officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Cemetery.

Pageau, Arthur

Arthur C. Pageau, 87, of Belleville, died Jan. 21, 1993. Funeral arrangements were completed by the David C. Brown Funeral Home.

Burke, Mazie

Mazie Burke, 75, of Belleville, died Jan. 19, 1993. Funeral arrangements were handled by the David C. Brown Funeral Home of Belleville.

Plunkett, John

John Earl Plunkett, 62, of Westland, died Jan. 23, 1993.

Survivors include his wife, Eleanor; his mother, Mrs. Sarah Larkin; two sons, Mark Earl and Bruce Allan; a daughter, Susan Marie Hrecin; a sister, Barbara Anne Shaffer and two grandchildren, Joseph and Michelle Hrecin.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Ronald J. Lind officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

The family recommends that memorials be sent to the Henry Ford Hospice. Envelopes are available at the funeral home.

Foster, Kenneth

Kenneth Foster, 19, of Wayne, died Jan. 20, 1993 in Beaufort, S.C.

Survivors include his parents, Jim and Pam; a sister, Melissa May; his nephew, Adam May; his grandmother, Edand Jean Bujak; his uncles and aunts, Bob and Gloria Finnegan, the Rev. Ray and Carol Clayton, Ralph and Carol Rotary, Faye and Bob Barber and Debbie and many cousins.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Revs. Howard Burkeen and Ray Clayton. Interment was in Glenwood Cemetery.

Pavloff, Paul

Paul Jack Pavloff, 76, of Demopolis, Ala., died Jan. 10, 1993 in Garden City.

Born in Pontiac on Oct. 4, 1917, he was a former manager of an automotive manufacturing firm.

Survivors include his wife, Vera J.; a son, John of St. Helen; three daughters, Patti Ann Lempea of Canton Township and Kathleen (James) Frank and Marceine (James) Twardszinkie, both of Garden City; 15 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

The funeral arrangements were completed by the Vermeulen Memorial Trust 100 Funeral Home of Westland. Memorial gifts may be sent to the family.

Weaver, Ralph

Ralph C. Weaver, 73, of Romulus, died Jan. 13, 1993 at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn.

Born in Hamton, Tenn. on Dec. 28, 1919, he was a plant repairman for Ford Motor Co., a member of the United Auto Workers Local, Westland Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 3323 and the Huron Sportsman Club.

Survivors include his wife, Medo Deane Weaver; two step-sons, Kenneth Murdock of Wayne and Gerald Schneider of Manito, Fla.; two step- daughters, Mrs. James (Delores) Raub of Wayne and Mrs. Donald (Carrol) Morgan of Monroe; a sister, Lula Mae Wilson of St. Louis; eight step-grandchildren, and six step-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was at the Crane Funeral Home with the Rev. J.D. Landis, pastor of the Community United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in Michigan Memorial Park of Flat Rock.

Green, Donald

Donald Leeroy Green, 30, of Detroit, died Jan. 6, 1993 at Detroit Receiving Hospital.

Survivors include two daughters, Connie and Renee; a step-mother, Barbara Green of Romulus; seven sisters and brothers, Michelle C. Green, Latonya Green and Dorothea Buckner, all of Inkster, Mark and Victoria Zellous, Johnny B. Green, John E. Green Jr. and Julius M.R. Green, all of Detroit, and a host of nieces and nephews.

The funeral was at Penn Funeral Home with Elder Roland Tooson officiating. Interment was in Westlawn Cemetery.

Antczak, Josephine

Josephine Antczak, 82, of Huron Township, died Jan. 14, 1993 at her home.

Born in Detroit on Sept. 17, 1911, she was a retired clerk. She married Joseph R. Antczak in New Boston.

Survivors include a son, Joseph of Trenton; two daughters, Mrs. Richard (Jean P.) Horn of New Boston and Mrs. Monty (Dorothy D.) Smith of Almont; a brother, Casimir Maciolek of New Boston, and six sisters, Stella Killingbec of Romulus, Julia Goral and Mrs. James (Marceline) Uzark, both of New Boston, Mrs. Leonard (Flora) Birch of Warren, Mrs. Oscar (Jean) Gambin of Dearborn and Mrs. Edward (Agnes) Walker of East Pointe.

She was predeceased by her husband, Joseph, on Jan. 23, 1964.

The funeral was at St. Stephen Catholic Church with Father Alexander Wytrowski officiating. Interment was in Michigan Memorial Park of Flat Rock.

The family requests that memorials be sent to an area hospice.

Arrangements were completed by the Crane Funeral Home.

Wessling, Donald

Donald D. Wessling, 52, of Ypsilanti, died Jan. 28, 1993. Arrangements were completed by the David C. Brown Funeral Home of Belleville.

Partin, Jay

Jay Joseph Partin, 26, of Wayne, died Jan. 26, 1993.

Survivors include his mother, Lucille; two sisters, Gisele Holman and Cindy DeRosa; and a niece, Shannon McAnally, and two nephews, Charles DeRosa and Roy Hart II.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Millar officiating. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Martinez, Douglas

Douglas Martinez, 32, of Ypsilanti, died Jan. 26, 1993.

He was a 1992 graduate of Eastern Michigan University, School of Telecommunications and Film Study.

Survivors include his parents, Phil and Barbara; two sisters, Sandra and Susan Reeves; a brother-in-law, Carl Reeves; a nephew, Shawn Reeves and a niece, Sheila Reeves.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Millar officiating.

Kolpacki, Kimberly

Kimberly (Clodfelter) Kolpacki, 30, of Dearborn Heights, died Jan. 28, 1993. She formerly resided in Wayne.

Survivors include her husband, William; her parents, Richard and Margaret Clodfelter; two daughters, Bridget Marie and Kimberly Rebecca; four sisters, Pamela and Margaret Clodfelter, Debbie Sneath and Karen Hall; a brother, Richard Dale Clodfelter; her grandmother, Mary Williams; and her aunt, Peggy Williams.

The funeral was at the Uht Funeral Home with Dr. Weldon Spracklen officiating. Interment was in St. Hedwig Cemetery.

Lyons, Pearl

Pearl W. Lyons, 87, of Westland, died Jan. 21, at Middlebelt Nursing Home.

A retired teacher in the Wayne-Westland and Lansing school systems, she is survived by two children, Marilyn (Richard) Bernard and Dean (Carol) Lyons; and a granddaughter, Kelly.

The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home with Rev. Robert Millar officiating.

Hoppe, Walter

Walter A. Hoppe, 86, of Romulus, died Jan. 15, 1993 at the Dearborn Health Care Center of Dearborn Heights.

Born in Detroit on June 1, 1906, he was the retired superintendent of maintenance at the Romulus Community School District. He also was active with the Community United Methodist Church Men's Club.

Survivors include a son, Donald W. of Livonia; two daughters, Mrs. Aloysius (Carroll J.) Rafalski of Romulus and Mrs. William (Norma Jean) Sanderlin of Tuscon, Ariz.; 12 grandchildren, and 23 great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased by his wife, Wilmina A. (Salisbury), on Aug. 5, 1981.

The funeral was at the Community United Methodist Church with the Rev. J.D. Landis officiating. Interment was in the Romulus Cemetery.

The family requests that memorials be sent to the Community United Methodist Church. Arrangements were completed by the Crane Funeral Home.

Oliver, Norma

Norma V. Oliver, 63, of Wayne, died Jan. 23, 1993 at home.

Survivors include a son, Philip (Ruth) Flunder; and two grandchildren.

The funeral was at Lents Funeral Home with the Rev. Hedapohl officiating. Interment was in Oakland Hills Cemetery.

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## NEW ARRIVALS

Pattullo, Kristen  
Pattullo, Michelle

Mark and Genise Pattullo of Belleville became the parents of twin girls, Kristen Georgina and Michelle Dee, on Dec. 22, 1992 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Kristen, who was born at 7:22 p.m., weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces at birth. Michelle was born 7:42 p.m. and weighed 6 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces.

Grandparents include Gene and Georgina Fries of Ypsilanti and Hal and Dee Pattullo of Ann Arbor.

Great-grandparents include Anna Fries of Logansport, Ind. and Thelma Fletcher of Bradenton, Fla.

## Derrick LaPensee

Rick and Claudia (Collins) LaPensee of Belleville became the parents of a son, Derrick James, on Dec. 28, 1992 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. The baby weighed 9 pounds at birth and measured 22 1/2 inches in length.

He joins a brother, Brendon, age 3, at home.

Grandparents of the infant include Wilfred and Lulu LaPensee and Clarence Collins, all of Belleville, and Sharon Manier of Ypsilanti.

Great-grandparents of the new arrival include Isabelle Kalasz of Belleville, Edith Lamp of Wayne and Lydia Collins of Ypsilanti.

## Travis Zimmerman

Alan and Janine Zimmerman of Taylor became the parents of a son, Travis Alan, on Jan. 5, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital. His grandparents are

## Sherman, Carter

Donald and Cheryl Sherman of Belleville became the parents of a son, Carter Zachary, on Sept. 22, 1992 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

The new arrival weighed 7 pounds, and 14 ounces at birth.

He joins a brother, Steven, and a sister, Kathie Ritchey at home.

Eugene and Doris Darda of Romulus, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Zimmerman of Belleville and Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Betts of Redford.

## Sean Foley

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Foley of Westland became the parents of a son, Sean Michael, on Jan. 10, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital.

The new arrival weighed 9 pounds at birth and has brown hair and blue eyes.

He joins a brother, Cody Travis, at home.

Grandparents of the baby are Anthony Foley and Ruth Rayman of Livonia and Kathy Foley of Redford.

## Katie Michels

Mark and Cheryl Michels of Farragut in Westland became the parents of a daughter, Katie Julia, born at 8:05 a.m. Jan. 18, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

The new arrival weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces at birth and had black hair and blue eyes. She will join a brother, Mark Anthony.

Grandparents of the infant include Arthur and Loraine Bratcher of Wayne, Dennis and Toni Francis of Lincoln Park and Fred Michels of Taylor.

## Jacob DeLaHaye

Jim and Eileen DeLaHaye of Annapolis Circle in Canton Township became the parents of a son, Jacob James, born at 6:46 p.m. Jan. 14, 1993 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne.

The infant weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces at birth and has blonde hair and blue eyes. He will join sisters Kelli Wheatley and Meghan DeLaHaye.

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# Wheels

## Dodge leading the Caravan

By CRAIG GARRETT  
ANP Staff Writer

Performance, quality and growing sales numbers will continue to define Dodge cars and trucks through the end of the decade.

Imitated and practically canonized after selling some 1.6 million units, Dodge Caravan has managed to retain a leadership role in the 1993 minivan market. This year the Caravan superior road traction and cornering abilities come with full-time, all-wheel drive and standard anti-lock brakes (ABS). A 10-valve, four-channel modulator with slip-page sensors also helps controls poor weather driving conditions.

Caravan also is equipped with the standard 2.5L engine and three-speed transmission or the optional 3.0L or 3.3L V-6 (150 horsepower) for greater power and towing capacity.

Dodge performance this

year comes wrapped up in a two-seat, 400-horsepower, sulking brute called the Viper RT/10. Under the composite body and steel tube frame lies the only American V-10 in production. The Viper 8.0L generates enough juice to reach 60 mph in 4.4 seconds and cover the standing 1/4 mile in some 13 seconds, or a track speed of 165 mph. Don't expect to find many Vipers lying around Dodge showroom floors, but make it a point to check out the soon-to-be classic vehicle at the International Auto Show.

Also hot is the Stealth RT/Turbo featuring the 3.0L V-6 producing some 300 ponies. A 164-horsepower V-6 version of the Stealth also is available with power-assisted four-wheel brakes, rack-and-pinion steering and four-wheel independent suspension.

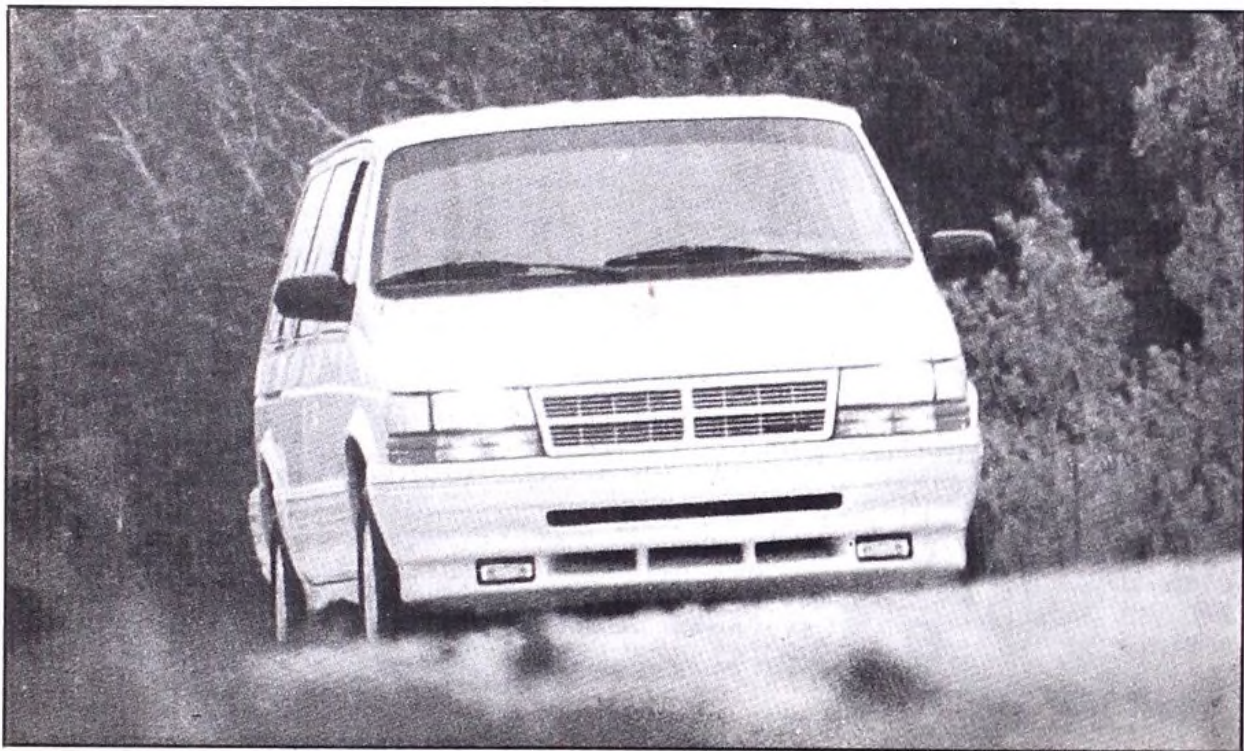
Daytona IROC features a DOHC V-6 cranking some 225 horsepower and 217 pound-foot of tire-ripping torque. The

vehicle also features a close-ratio five-speed manual trans-axle transmission and performance suspension.

In addition to performance, Dodge in 1993 has delivered one of the better-selling family cars, the Spirit. A driver-side airbag, three-point shoulder straps for all window passengers and child-proof locks on the rear doors make Spirit a sharp value. The four-door automobile is powered by the optional 3.0L V-6 or the smaller 2.5L SOHC four-cylinder.

Shadow, Dynasty and the Colt passenger cars also provide drivers with the selection and value only Dodge can deliver.

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1993 Dodge Caravan

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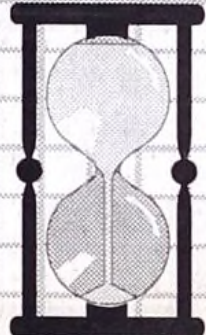
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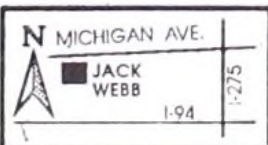
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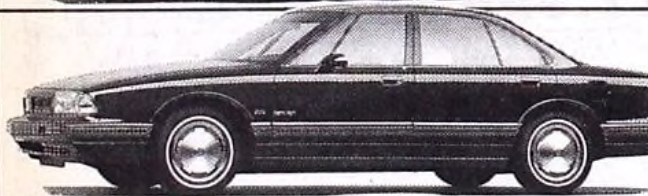
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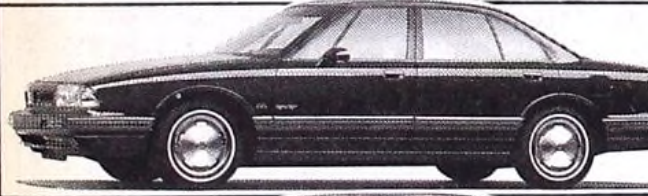
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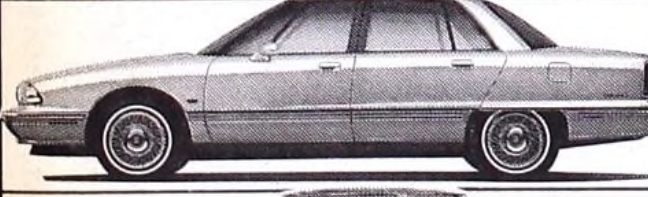
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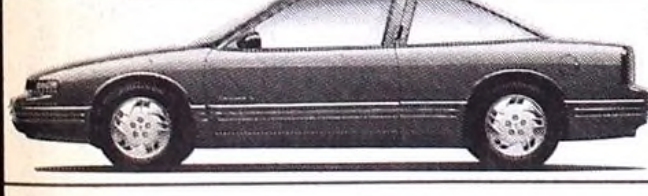
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## Quote of the Week

"Let's get off the pot and start doing something about it."

Tom Kelly, Wayne councilman speaking in reference to sending a message to legislators to get control of the tax assessments.

## Of Note

## Pump-wearing peeper arraigned

A 37-year-old man, who reportedly wore a sweater, mini-skirt and pumps when peering through his neighbors' windows, has been arrested by Van Buren Township police.

Police said the suspect is a resident of the apartment complex on Parkwood Drive where the window peeping had been reported. Incidents were reported to police last summer and early this year.

The suspect was arraigned last week in 34th District Court on charges of window peeping, immoral behavior and being a disorderly person.

## Woman's death ruled heart attack

The death of an Inkster woman whose body was discovered in the doorway of her home in Inkster was due to natural causes, according to Inkster police.

Jean Sarles, who resided in the 2900 block of Steinhauer Street in the northeast section of the city was found about 6:30 a.m. Wednesday by police who were dispatched to the scene.

Sarles, 75, was a widow and lived alone. Nothing in the victim's home had been touched and the rooms remained immaculate, police said.

There were no signs of foul play, according to Inkster detective James Vergona.

The medical officer's report states that Mrs. Sarles died of an apparent heart attack, Vergona added.

## Airport expansion meeting planned

Romulus residents are invited to attend a public hearing Tuesday night regarding the Metro Airport growth plan and its impact on local homeowners.

The hearing, coordinated by Assistant Wayne County Executive Michael Duggan, will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the city council chambers in City Hall.

Also slated to speak will be County Commissioner Bryan Amman.

Rep. Gregory Pitoniak (D-Taylor), who originally planned to attend the session, announced Thursday he will be unable to return to the Romulus area in time because of legislative action.

But Pitoniak will speak prior to the City Council meeting on Monday night to outline what he calls a "Bipartisan Legislative Team Proposal on School Finances and Property Tax Reform."

## Robbery suspects are arrested

A Feb. 8 examination has been scheduled for a Detroit man and a Taylor man on armed robbery charges before 29th District Court Judge Carolyn Archbold.

Gary Lee Denny, 27, and Garnett William Harper, 29, allegedly stole a vehicle from the parking lot of the Red Apple Restaurant and Inn on Michigan Avenue Jan. 9, according to Wayne police Lt. Mel Drews.

"The two suspects were arraigned Jan. 27 by 29th District Court Judge James B. Stone," Drews said. "Both have extensive criminal records."

Harper has a parole violation in Michigan, and Denny has a probation violation from North Carolina, according to Drews.

# SUNDAY

## Eagle & Enterprise

Feb. 7, 1993

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### Dead man's testimony convicts killer

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

A murder victim returned from the grave and revealed his killer in a Recorder's Court courtroom last week.

The tape-recording of mortally-wounded Michael Williams, who was slain in his house in August of 1992, was played in the courtroom and apparently convinced Judge Leonard Townsend that the defendant, Cedric Fields, killed the 31-year-old Williams.

Townsend found Fields guilty of second-degree murder in the death of Williams. Fields, who could receive up to life in prison, will be sentenced next week.

Fields asked for then refused a jury trial. Instead, the convicted-killer asked that a bench

*Williams, who resided in the 3500 block of*

*Walnut, managed to telephone 9-1-1*

*before he died. On tape, he told the*

*dispatcher: "Please hurry, I'm going*

*fast."*

trial be conducted. After less than a week of testimony, Townsend found Fields guilty. Fields told the court that he acted in self-defense.

However, the numerous stab wounds on Williams' body and the tape-recording of the victim's voice during his final seconds of life apparently convinced the judge that Fields deliberately took

Williams' life.

Williams, who resided in the 3500 block of Walnut, managed to telephone 9-1-1 before he died. On tape, he told the dispatcher: "Please hurry, I'm going fast."

When the dispatcher asked who stabbed him, Williams managed to reveal the name of the suspect.

Investigating police officers told the court that they found Williams lying in the living room in a pool of blood. They also testified that the victim had multiple stab wounds to the body, including deep gashes made by a sharp object, to the abdomen and the throat.

Williams had about \$1,500 on him the day he was slain. That money was missing. Police theorize that Fields, who had a known drug addiction, killed Williams for the money to purchase drugs.

### Thrills abound Circus brings fun to kids of all ages

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER  
Belleville City Editor

When the Shrine Circus comes to town, everybody is a kid again - the spectators, sponsors, clowns and even the reporters covering the event.

In a special circus preview on Thursday afternoon, grown-ups fulfilled their childhood dreams of riding a performing pachyderm, feeding a seal and strolling into the spotlight in the center ring.

Sorry that everyone cannot have the same dream-fulfilling opportunity, but the circus does bill itself as "so close up, you'll feel like you're part of the action."

The 85th annual Shrine Circus brings a lot of tradition into town with elegant equestrians, daring trapeze artists, dozens of wacky clowns, performing tigers and elephants and other amusing and amazing animals.

A laser light show, engineered by the same firm that orchestrated shows for the Summer Olympics and Super Bowl XX, is a new addition to the traditional circus fare.

Highlighting the daily performances through Feb. 21 is the seven-person pyramid high-wire act of The White Angels.

It is the same stunt which was performed by the legendary circus family, The Wallendas, at the State Fair Coliseum - only The White Angels use a net when they precariously perch on the wire to do their seven-person pyramid.

In 1962, in the same arena, two members of the Wallenda family were killed in a fall as they performed the pyramid on the high wire.

"I was in the audience at the time, and I saw the accident," said newscaster Gary Baumgartner. "I was just a kid, about 11. There was no doubt that the people were dead, because they didn't move. Everyone in the coliseum knew immediately the seriousness of the accident."

Even with a net, the balancing act on the high wire is an impressive one, and the audiences seem relieved to see the performance done with safety measures so that the tragedy will not be repeated.

Just as much a part of the circus as peanuts and popcorn are the antics of the Shrine Temple Clown Unit.

Dan Fowler, a 15-year veteran of the clown unit, describes his attraction to the circus as "just for fun."

"It's the fun that attracts all of us," said Fowler, as he put on his clown make-up and false nose.

To share the fun of the circus, Fowler, Howard (Howie) Zimmerman, Ken (Vesti) West and Al Ensor each donated tickets to enable 90 children and adult supervisors from Lincoln Elementary School in Westland to attend the circus.

Fowler said it is not an easy task to become a full-fledged clown. Would-be clowns must have a try-out period and then must be voted upon to become an apprentice. After 18 months, the apprentice may become a full-fledged clown if he passes another vote of his fellow clowns.

"It takes two years to become a clown. We have our own people to instruct in make-up and clowning techniques," said Fowler.

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Clowns G Whiz and Golly demonstrate the winning smiles which will greet visitors to the Shrine Circus next week. The clowns were on hand at a press preview of the circus last week. More photos of the delights in store for circus-goers are on page 2.

### Sex argument led to 14-year-old killing

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

An argument over oral sex reportedly spurred the shooting that claimed the life of a 23-year-old Romulus woman 14 years ago, a key witness against Daniel Ray Dowling testified Thursday in 34th District Court.

Dowling, 45, has been charged with open murder and a felony firearms violation by Wayne County authorities in connection with the shooting death of his former live-in girlfriend, Joanne Lincoln, in 1978.

Dowling's lawyer, Richard Lustig, asked District Court Judge Henry Zaborowski to drop the charges at the conclusion of the two-hour court hearing Thursday morning. Lustig claimed that the state had failed in its attempt to support the

charges against Dowling.

Zaborowski denied the motion stating that the Wayne County Prosecutor's office had presented enough evidence to take the open murder and weapons charge to trial.

A pre-trial hearing is slated Feb. 18 at the Frank Murphy Hall of Justice Building in Detroit. Lustig stated there wasn't enough evidence to convict Dowling of either first or second degree murder. "At best the state only has enough evidence to press a manslaughter case," he said.

The key witness in the hearing was a friend of the defendant, Michael Reilly, who testified that Dowling told him on several occasions that he had accidentally shot Lincoln on Aug. 28, 1978 and then hid the 38 calibre pistol he used in some bushes behind a nearby supermarket.

Reilly's testimony was one of the major ele-

ments that ignited the charges against Dowling, currently a Front Royal, Va. businessman. The case had gone somewhat dormant in the past 14 years, despite the fact both Dowling and Reilly had been questioned by Wayne County authorities after the 1978 shooting death.

According to sheriff's department reports at that time, Dowling and Lincoln shared an apartment on Middlebelt and Ecorse roads in Romulus. On the night of Aug. 28, Wayne County Sheriff's officers were called to the apartment in regard to the shooting.

Sheriff's deputy Robert Crain said when he arrived at 11:17 that night, he found a woman (Lincoln) lying on a bed with a bullet wound to the head.

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### Tax plan could cost local school districts millions

By PATRICIA BROWN  
ANP News Editor

Officials from school districts throughout the state are preparing for Gov. John Engler's proposed tax cuts which could mean a loss of \$483 million dollars of school funding throughout Wayne County.

Most school district leaders are hoping the state will reimburse their districts for the losses. Engler's proposal would reduce the State Equalized Valuation (SEV) for kindergarten through 12-grade education from 40 to 50 percent in the next three years.

State Rep. Debra Whyman (R-Canton Township) stated that the House Taxation Committee, on which she serves, has asked the governor to find a way to reimburse districts for lost state aid dollars.

*"As long as the state guarantees that they will make up the lost revenue, we will be held harmless. If they don't, we stand to lose \$4.3 million over three years."*

"We're not going to make cuts to school aid for in-formula school districts," Whyman said.

Officials from area school districts are still questioning where the reimbursement dollars will be found.

"As long as the state guarantees that they will make up the lost revenue, we will be held harmless," said Westwood Superintendent of Schools

Dr. Equilla Bradford. "If they don't, we stand to lose \$4.3 million over three years."

Two Michigan school districts have already filed for bankruptcy, and some school officials believe the latest proposal will force other districts into bankruptcy.

"Not only does this plan reduce funding for education at a time when many school districts are in danger of going under, it also makes it far more difficult to enact meaningful school finance reform," said William Simmons, the superintendent of the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency which serves the 34 school districts in Wayne County.

The latest tax proposal is Engler's attempt to relieve the property tax burden placed on taxpayers. In November, residents in Michigan voted

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"We perform at picnics, festivals and special events. The money that we earn from our performances is placed in our unit fund, and twice a year we make donations to the Shrine Children's hospitals in the transportation fund and the burn center in Cincinnati. We are one of the few areas that has its own transportation system to take children for treatment to various locations," said Fowler.

Treatment at the Shrine-

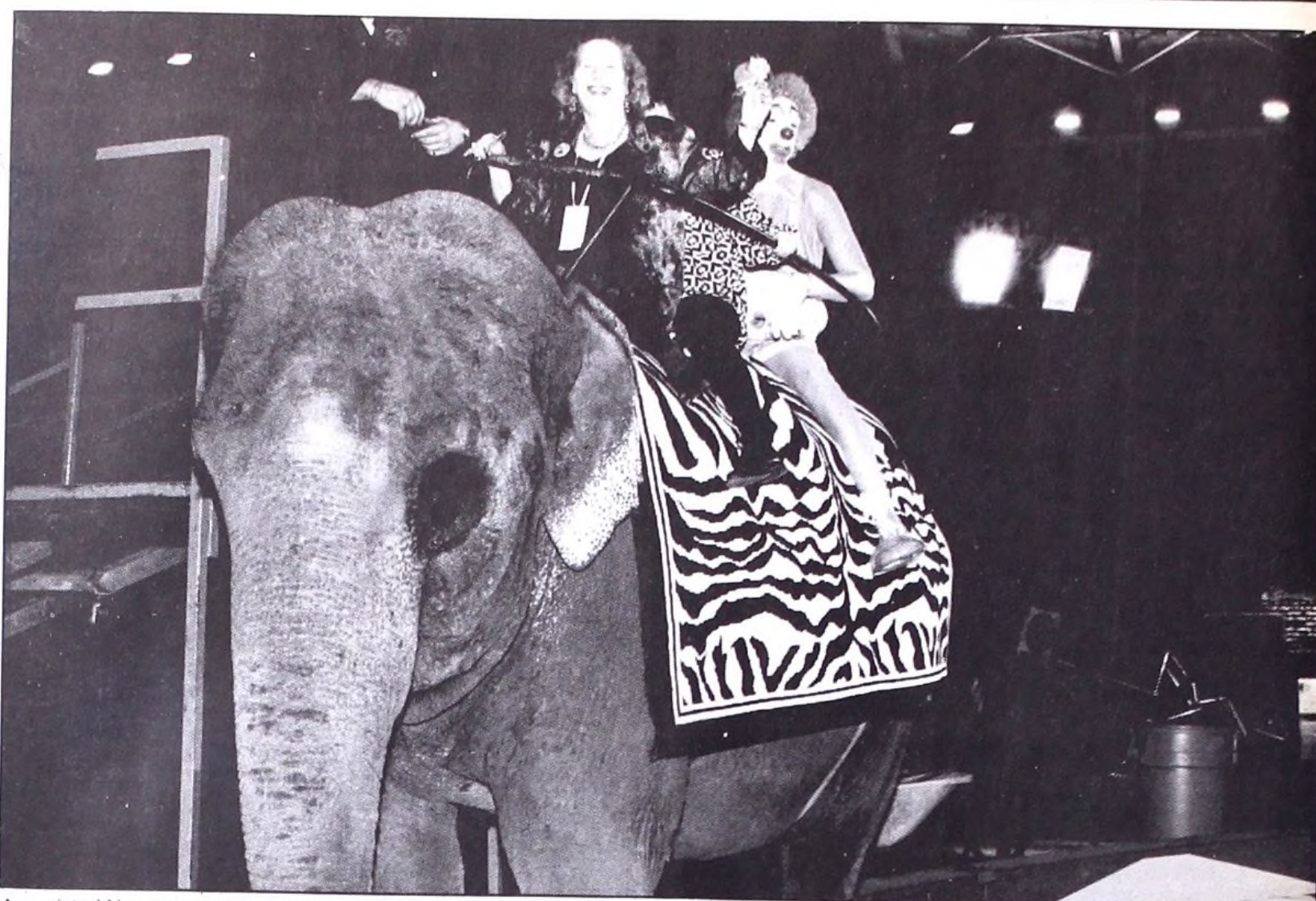
sponsored facilities is free to children who have a physical and financial need, he said.

Applicants to join the clown crew must be 32nd Degree Masons and Shriners and must be clean shaven - only the paste-on varieties of beards and mustaches are allowed on the Shrine clowns, he said.

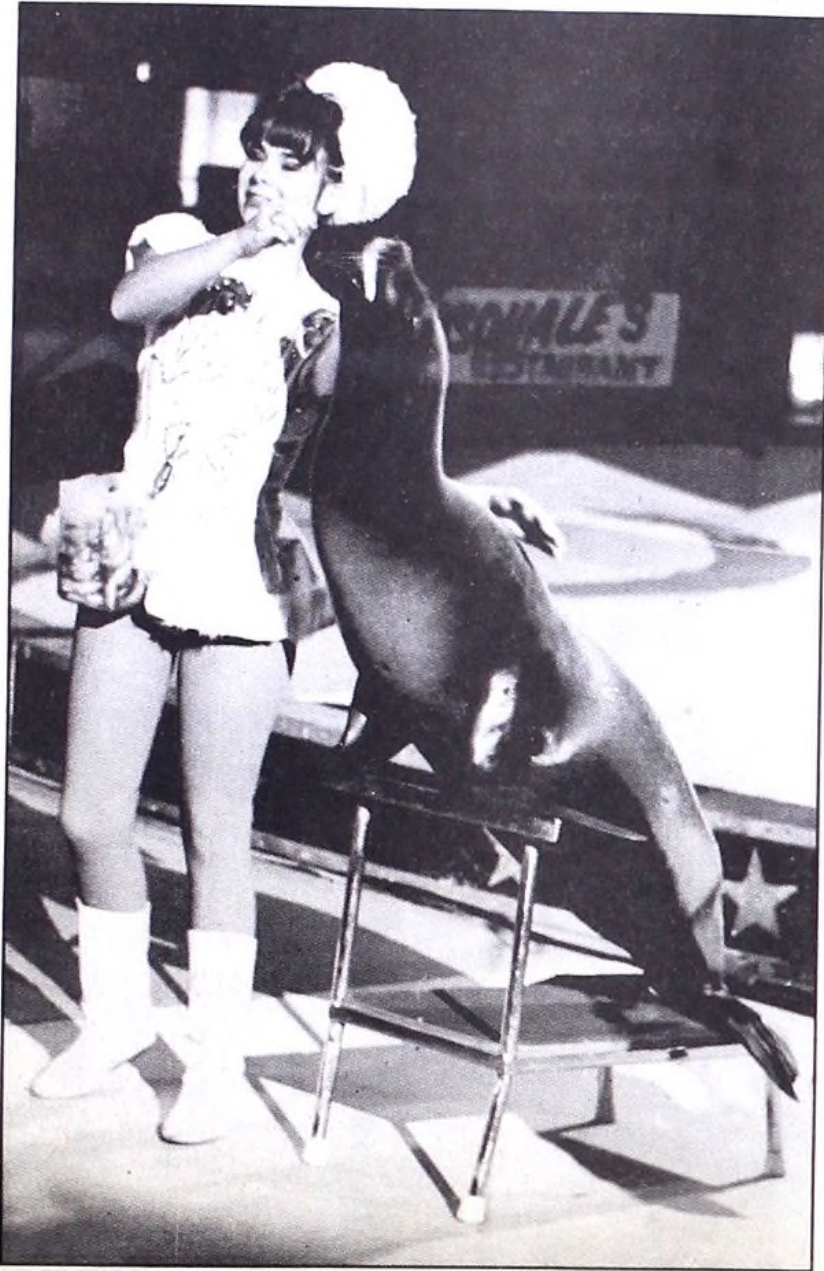
Fowler said there are some 80 clowns in the group with 15 to 20 performing in each show.

Circus performances will be at 11:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. weekdays, Saturdays at 9:30 a.m., 1:30 and 7:30 p.m. and on Sundays at 1:30 and 5:30 p.m.

Tickets are available at the fairgrounds or can be purchased at Ticket Master.



Associated Newspapers City Editor Joan Dyer-Zinner demonstrated the real courage required of journalists this week as she agreed to join one of the Shrine Circus Clowns for a rather rocky ride aboard one of the many elephants starring in the circus ring.



Dana Wilson and her seals will be on hand to delight circus-goers this year at the Shrine Circus.



The White Angels, at right, will repeat the treacherous seven-man pyramid on the high wire, first attempted by *The Flying Wallendas*, at the circus this year. And, as usual, the antics of Irwin Hill's Baboons, entranced the spectators and visitors at the circus preview last week.



Photos by Ken Garner

## KILLING

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Asked where Dowling was at the time, Crain said he couldn't remember. Upon checking his old notes, the deputy said Dowling was sitting on the bed with Lincoln's head in his hands.

Lincoln's two young sons (who are now grown) were in the room also, Crain said.

The victim was bleeding from the head, the deputy continued, and he called for an ambulance.

Lincoln was first taken to the old Wayne County General Hospital and later airlifted to University Hospital in Ann Arbor. She died two days later.

Reilly, who sported a mustache and goatee at the hearing, testified he had been a friend and associate of Dowling since 1976 and visited the Dowling-Lincoln apartment many times in Virginia.

Although Dowling passed a lie detector test shortly after the shooting, Reilly said Dowling was always fearful that someone (law enforcement officials) would "come looking for him."

Reilly said he, Dowling and Lincoln drank liquor and smoked marijuana cigarettes in the afternoon of the day Lincoln was shot.

The witness told the court that Dowling and Lincoln reportedly quarreled over oral sex that night and then Dowling

When pressed on the "oral sex" statement, Reilly

confirmed that  
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ing pulled out a pistol. Reilly said that the gun Dowling was pointing in a threatening manner at Lincoln discharged and the bullet pierced the woman's head.

When pressed on the "oral sex" statement, Reilly confirmed that Dowling was demanding Lincoln perform the sex act on him and she continued to refuse.

Reilly also admitted that he had sold three stolen guns to Dowling on a previous occasion. A 38 calibre pistol purchased from Reilly is listed as

the gun used in the shooting. Reilly said he did not witness the incident.

The defense attorney asked Reilly if he turned on his friend (Dowling) because of comments Dowling allegedly made that led to his (Reilly's) wife leaving him.

"No," Reilly confessed, "he made me mad when he didn't help me in another court case."

Reilly admitted that he had been arrested on drug charges in Virginia. He was originally charged with felony complaints, which later were dropped to misdemeanors.

Reilly said Dowling origi-

nally agreed to help him pay the fine and later backed off.

Lustig asked if he had made a plea bargain on the charges, using information he had on the Lincoln shooting as his part of the deal.

Reilly claimed he hadn't made any such deal, but admitted calling Wayne Deputy Sheriff Kevin McGuckin, a former high school classmate, to find out whether the Lincoln death investigation was still open.

Following that call, two 17-year Sheriff's Department veterans, Tim Rapp and George Freije, were assigned to the case. The two investigators

conducted an intensive probe locally and then traveled to Virginia. They are credited with cracking the 14-year-old murder case.

Weeks later, the murder and weapons charges were filed and on Nov. 10th Dowling was arrested at his place of business, the Bonnie Glen Motorhaus, in Front Royal, Va.

He was arraigned in Virginia and released on \$100,000 bail. Dowling reportedly used his business and his wife's day care center, the Bonnie Glen Kinderhaus, as security for the bail.

He and his wife, Margaret, drove to Romulus where he

surrendered to county authorities last week.

Dowling, who has entered a not guilty plea, told sheriff's officers 14 years ago the bullet that struck Lincoln came from through an open window in their apartment.

The only other witness produced by the state was Gerald Abrams, a medical examiner, who testified that the bullet traveled from the right to left temple of the victim's head.

Following the hearing Thursday, Assistant Wayne County Prosecutor Robert Agacinski had a private meeting with the victim's family, some of whom live in Taylor.

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# The Best Chefs Of The West

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Our special chefs, none of whom is a professional

cook, all share a love of cooking and the enjoyment of creating culinary delights for those who dine on their specialties.

Their payments are the requests for second helpings, invitations to head up the kitchen crew again and the smiles and thank-yous of those whose meals they prepare.

## Hot stuff Cajun cooking steals the show

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER  
Belleville City Editor

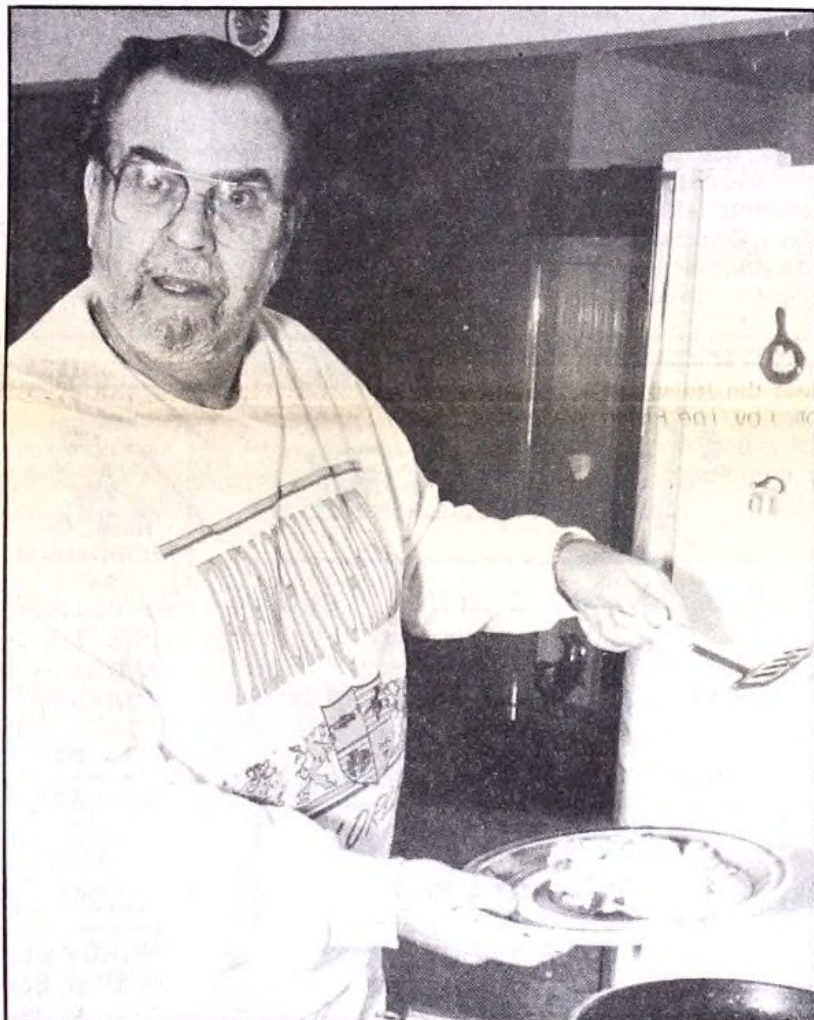
On Super Bowl Sunday, "Super-chef" Max Barber invited friends to his home to watch the game and dine on Shrimp Creole, red beans with rice and other Cajun-style treats.

While the highly touted game was less than spectacular, Barber's Cajun feast was a blockbuster hit - as usual.

"Seafood appetizers, steamed shrimp and Cajun foods are probably the most popular foods that I cook. When I cook red beans and rice, I use Andouille sausage, and I also use alligator sausage," Barber said, noting that he special orders the Andouille and alligator sausages from Baton Rouge and has them air expressed to his home.

During his days in boat racing, Barber met several fellow racers from Louisiana. From his contacts with them and visits to the area, Barber picked up a love of Cajun food and the knack of preparing it in true Louisiana bayou-style.

"At least once a year, I have a steamed shrimp party for my friends. It's an all-the-shrimp-you-can-eat party, and we put away a lot of shrimp that day," said Barber, who resides in Sumpter Township with his wife, Dee. "We put the steamed shrimp on newspapers in the center of each table, and everyone peels their own and dips them in a variety of sauces - mild to hot to extra hot. We have other foods, too, but the shrimp is the main part of the meal."



Max Barber serves an omelette, one of his specialties, for an at-home meal. ANP photo by Ken Garner

Barber, like a true master chef, will not reveal the secret of his much-bragged-about shrimp.

"The shrimp is steamed in beer with a dash of vinegar added. A layer of shrimp is placed in the pot, then a layer of seasoning, another layer of shrimp and another layer of seasoning. Then, it's steamed.

It's really pretty simple," he said. "The secret, of course, is what is in the layer of seasoning."

When he takes off his Cajun cooking cap, Barber takes on an Italian image to prepare lasagne - another of his favorite foods - all for the simple joy of good dining for himself and his friends.

## Italian cuisine is serious activity

By PATRICIA BROWN  
ANP News Editor

Francis "Bud" Winter is serious about cooking.

Winter is so serious that he will travel throughout the metropolitan area to find the freshest ingredients for the gourmet dishes he prepares.

"I've been doing a lot of gourmet cooking on my own for a long time," Winter said. "After I retired, I took classes in Ann Arbor and I attended specialty classes with some of the more famous chefs."

Although Winter enjoys cooking almost every kind of dish, he spends most of his time in the kitchen preparing Italian favorites.

His cooking hobby has become so well known among friends and family that Winter receives cook books for gifts and now has quite a large collection.

"Most of the books are for French or Italian cooking," Winter said.

The former Wayne Memorial High School principal's skills have been used for several special occasions.

Last month when his wife



Francis "Bud" Winter demonstrates the light touch required with spices for Italian dishes he has perfected since his retirement. ANP photo by Ken Garner

Maggie's bridge club met at Winter's home, he prepared a special meal for the guests.

"I cooked an Italian pasta dish that was made with Prosciutto ham and imported basil and fresh parmesan," Winter said. "I also made an Italian salad which included fresh ingredients."

For that special meal, Winter spent an afternoon shopping for the freshest and best ingredients.

"I usually go to a fruit market in Dearborn and there is also a great little Italian store in Dearborn," Winter said. "The store usually has every specialty you want for Italian cooking."

After Winter began his

hobby, he began growing his own vegetables and herbs. He was so serious about it that he took a master gardener's class at Michigan State University.

"Everything that I eat myself, I grow myself," Winter said. "I have them in pots inside the house in the winter time."

"I also make my own tomato sauce," he added. "I probably can 60 to 70 quarts of tomato sauce each year."

Winter also cans the vegetables himself.

"People used to laugh at me when I was into eating healthy food," he said. "As the times change, the style of cooking changes. People are into a lot healthier foods now."

## Firefighter borrows family recipes

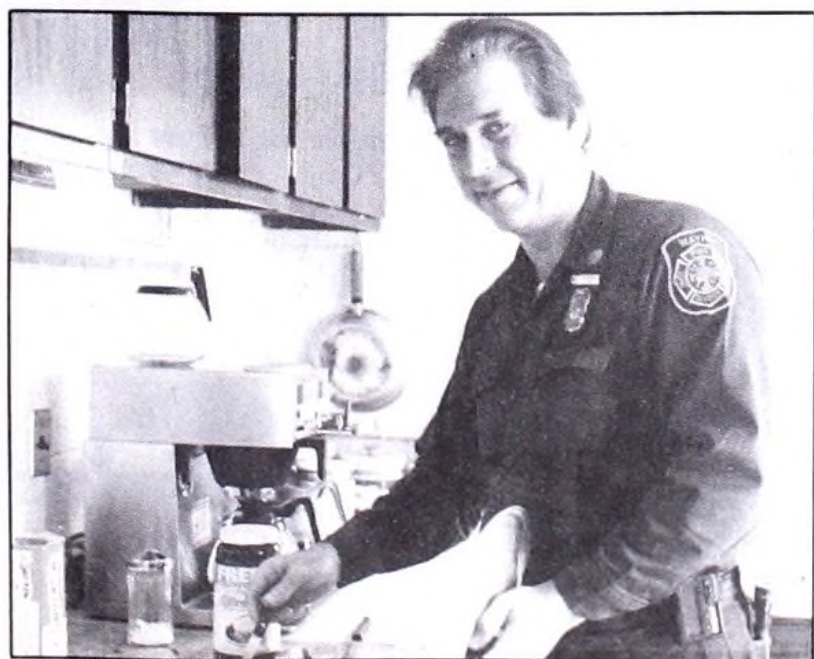
By MARGO DEWEY  
ANP Feature Editor

If you're looking for an authentic homemade lasagne dish, Wayne firefighter John Ciuffetelli has a tantalizing recipe which has been handed down for more than three generations in his Italian family.

"I make everything homemade including the sauce," Ciuffetelli said. "My lasagna isn't real spicy. It's more on the mild side. There are Italian seasonings and oregano. I use to use a little Italian sausage."

Ciuffetelli blends in ground beef which is prepared somewhat like a sloppy joe.

"After you blend in the



Wayne Firefighter John Ciuffetelli carefully prepares a batch of sauce for his special version of lasagne, now a favorite with friends and family. ANP photo by Larry Divizio

hamburger which is loose, you add the ricotta and Parmesan cheeses," Ciuffetelli said.

Ciuffetelli said he really doesn't do much cooking at home for his wife Sue and son and daughter. He displays most of his cooking talents at

the Wayne Fire Department.

"When I first came here to the fire department which was about 17 1/2 years ago, we had to cook for each other," Ciuffetelli said. "We still take

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## Good cooking is family tradition

By AL POST  
ANP Staff Writer

Fred Hay, 74, who survived the "Battle of the Bulge" almost 50 years ago, today works hard to help others face similar battles at the dinner table.

Hay, a Romulus native, practices by cooking various foodstuffs in his own home - featuring chili and steaks.

Because he loves both people and food, Hay also remains busy helping volunteers with the Kiwanis Club Pancake Breakfasts (twice a year) and roast beef dinners at the Community United Methodist Church four or five times a year.

Hay is proud of the fact he is a charter member of the Romulus Kiwanis Club, which donates the funds from the breakfasts to provide free dental care for Romulus residents who cannot afford such care.

The church roast beef dinners Hay assists with have attracted hundreds of church



Fred Hay follows a family tradition of fine cooking with his volunteer efforts with the Kiwanis Club and the Community United Methodist Church. ANP photo by Larry Divizio

members and area senior citizens for the last 20 years.

Hay attributes his love of meal preparations to his parents. "My dad, Alfred, was a better cook than I would ever hope to be," Hay said.

In addition, Hay said his

mom, Lillian, was also a fantastic baker, specializing in pies of all types. She offered many of her best to the Rotary Club and the New Boston United Methodist Church which has since merged with the Romulus-based church.



# Volunteer chef fixes large-scale meals

By JOAN DYER-ZINNER  
Belleville City Editor

On-the-job experience moved a volunteer dishwasher to a position as "chief chef" for lodge dinners and fund-raising activities.

"Six years ago, I volunteered to help out in the kitchen, and I was signed up as a dishwasher," said Ed Miller of Canton Township. "I learned a lot from the regulars in the kitchen - Bill and Lois Angulin, Martha Morton and Doug Hardin - and I continued to help out in the kitchen when the lodge hosted dinners."

Today, Miller is the much-sought-after cook for special fund-raising activities, such as the annual Huron Valley Conservation Association-sponsored Kids for Camp dinner on Feb. 20. He heads up the kitchen operations for summer barbecues, fish fries, dinners and special functions at the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 934 in Belleville.

"I learned to cook by listening to the experts and taking their advice," said Miller. "Whenever a caterer comes to the lodge, I ask questions about their food preparation. I don't try to copy everything they do, but I pick up a tip here and a tip there that I can use."

Miller credits his wife, Terri, with teaching him to

make gravy.

"Until she taught me her method, I just couldn't get it right. There's a knack to working with flour and corn starch," he said.

Miller's biggest project has been cooking the lodge-sponsored free Thanksgiving dinners for the elderly.

"I've cooked three Thanksgiving dinners for 300 to 350 people each. I was really nervous about cooking the first one, but I had a lot of good help. That's really the key. You need good people helping in the kitchen. For the Thanksgiving dinners, we had dozens of people cooking, serving, busing tables, washing dishes and cleaning up. Ordinarily, we would need about 15 for a dinner of that size."

Miller said his greatest reward is seeing the happy faces of the senior citizens and nursing home patients who dine on turkey and trimmings at the lodge each year.

"I always ask for people's input on the meals, and I ask a lot of question afterward about what they especially liked or didn't like," Miller said. "For example, I added a salad bar to the Friday night fish fries when I learned that people preferred it to the cole slaw we used to serve. Now, I'm asking people about some other dishes that I'm considering adding to the menu."

Cooking involves planning, ordering and coordinating the staff as well as preparing the meal.

"You have to know how much to order. There's some leeway with roast beef, but you need a correct count when you serve pork chops. There has to be one chop for each plate, or you'll run out," Miller said, noting that he usually over-



Ed Miller of Canton Township stirs up food for one of his lodge dinners. ANP photo by Ken Garner

# Barbecued ribs secret not for sale by cook

By TOM MOORADIAN  
ANP Staff Writer

Leroy Spencer - his friends call him Tate - never worked in a restaurant.

But that lack of professional status is not due to any lack of offers. In fact, there was at least one Detroit businessman who wanted to go into a partnership with the 75-year-old Inkster resident to market his skills.

And the reason? Spencer has culinary secrets that the chefs of this world would love to own.

High on the menu is Spencer's ability to unite his unique barbecue sauce with ribs.

"His barbecue is out of this world," says councilwoman Naomi James. "If you can get him to fix barbecue for you, it's an experience you'll never forget."

But Spencer's barbecue recipe is not for sale.

Spencer admits that at one

time a Detroit restaurateur offered him "\$500 for the recipe."

"But I had to turn him down because I didn't want others to have it," Spencer says.

Is it a family heirloom?

"No, not really," said Spencer, who was raised in southwest Detroit in a section known as Delray. "My mother was a good cook, but I learned by trial -and-error. You know people like your cooking when they come back again and again for more."

Spencer was employed by Wayne County and worked at the general hospital in Westland before he retired. He now resides in Thompson Towers, a senior highrise, and admits that he misses the opportunity to cook outdoors.

"But any time I have a chance to cook, I do," Spencer added.

Now, if someone could convince him to reveal his barbecue secrets, we'd be in business.

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turns now, and we also do some unit cooking here where everyone helps out."

Ciuffetelli's recipe for his favorite dish was given to him

by his mother.

"My father is all Italian and my mother is Polish," Ciuffetelli said. "Improvements to the recipe have been made along the way. Other tips have come from my mother-in-law. I also enjoy making stuffed cabbage."

# Shopping center traffic cited as cause of accident increase

By PATRICIA BROWN  
ANP News Editor

Westland Police Department officials are attributing the increase in hit-and-run accidents in the past two years to the growing number of shoppers in and around Westland Center.

"Most of the hit-and-run accidents take place in parking lots," said Sgt. Pete Brokas. "I think what's happening is that during the shopping months in November and December, there are so many stores now in Westland and we have a lot more hit and runs."

In 1990, between the months of September and January, there were 150 hit-and-run incidents in Westland.

In 1991, between the

months of September and January, there were 146 hit and run incidents in Westland.

In 1992, between the months of September and January there were 161 hit-and-run incidents in Westland.

"About 146 hit-and-run incidents a year is right in the ballpark," Brokas said.

Other increases occurred during the shopping months in 1991 and 1992.

In November of 1991 there were 28 hit-and-run accidents in Westland, according to Brokas. There were 48 hit-and-run accidents in November of 1992.

In December of 1991 there were 33 hit-and-run accidents in Westland and in December of 1992 there were 46 hit-and-

run accidents, Brokas added.

Only 1 percent of the hit-and-run accidents are considered serious. Police officials designate serious as accidents that result in serious injury or death.

"Those are our biggest shopping months and there are a lot of people in that one area near Westland Shopping Center," Brokas said. "Most of the accidents occur in the parking lots."

Last weekend, three Westland Department of Public Service employees were involved in two separate hit-and-run accidents.

Officials from the Westland Police Department Traffic Bureau constantly monitor the traffic situations in the city.

"We keep a constant vigil

over there," Brokas said. "We look at our corridors like Newburgh Road which is going to be widened and we determine if there is more traffic and if there is we can add left turn faces which prevent accidents."

"We can't patrol all of the parking lots, so we rely on citizens to report hit-and-run accidents," Brokas added. "The people are great, we get a lot of

calls from witnesses who saw an accident."

When witnesses report accidents, Brokas and his fellow traffic bureau employees are usually successful in locating the driver who left the scene and who will pay the price if they are convicted.

"They will be charged with leaving the scene of a property damage accident and if they

are convicted that is six points on their driving record," Brokas said. "They are also fined."

"Years and years ago, when people left the scene it was usually because they were drunk," Brokas.

Another reason people leave the scene of an accident is because they don't have any insurance, he added.

# City offers low-cost mortgages

The American dream of owning a home could come true for Westland residents who qualify for a city loan program, according to Jay Gilbert, director of housing and community development in Westland.

The Low Cost Mortgage Program is now available to low to moderate income home buyers who would like to live in targeted areas in the city, Gilbert said.

Qualified applicants would not have to pay points, application fees or document preparation fees on a \$50,000 mortgage or less, according to Gilbert.

The savings on a \$50,000 mortgage would be \$1,500. Terms of the mortgage are available from 15 years and extend to 30 years.

The areas targeted include:

- Central City Parkway to Ford Road, to Wayne Road, Newburgh Road and Cherry Hill Road.
- Norwayne subdivisions which included the area bounded by Palmer, Willwood, Glenwood and Merriam roads.
- Carver and Van Born roads area bounded by Annapolis, Middlebelt, Inkster and Van Born roads.


Low interest rates will make buying a home more affordable for low-income families.

"We now have some of the lowest interest rates ever," Gilbert said.

Gilbert would like to see the program or a similar program expanded that would include areas throughout the city.

"We would like to see a program that would apply city-wide," Gilbert said. "There are individual houses in most neighborhoods that would fit into a program like this."

Further information about the program is available at 595-0288.



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Congressman William D. Ford a long-time supporter of the Keep Michigan Beautiful (KMB) program acknowledged his support of the organization by wearing a Keep Michigan Beautiful button recently. Ford is shown with Westland resident and KMB President Joe Benyo. ANP Special Photo



Victoria Woodhull was the first woman to run for President of the United States. She ran as a candidate for the Equal Rights Party in 1872.

# Local man re-elected president of state beautification group

Westland resident and city council liaison Joe Benyo was named president of Keep Michigan Beautiful, Inc. for the second time.

The group which was organized 30 years ago is dedicated to the preservation of the environment and historical sites in communities throughout the

state. "We provide statewide program to stop littering, clean up and promote outdoor beautification and we encourage

others in beautification," Benyo said. Benyo is a member of the volunteer board of directors which includes 50 members

from throughout the state. New officers were elected last month in Grand Rapids. Benyo is now beginning his second term as president.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, March 1, 1993, at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendments to the Zoning Ordinance.

map

BRANDON/GEDDES REZONING CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PART OF PARCEL 129 99 0008 000 FROM RR. RURAL RESIDENTIAL TO R-6. SINGLE FAMILY ATTACHED RESIDENTIAL. PROPERTY IS LOCATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF GEDDES BETWEEN CANTON CENTER ROAD AND BECK ROAD.

Vic Gustafson, Chairman

Publish: February 7, 1993

February 25, 1993

## Notice of Letting Jewett Drain Contract And Day of Review of Apportionments

(In accordance with P.A. 40, of 1956 as amended)

### JEWETT DRAIN DRAINAGE DISTRICT DRAIN

Notice is Hereby Given, Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at 600 Randolph, Detroit, Michigan 48226, until 3:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time, on February 24, 1993, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read for the cleanout of a certain drain known and designated as "Jewett Drain," located and established in Wayne County: Township of Van Buren. This Notice of Letting, the plans, specifications, and bid proposal shall be considered a part of the Contract. The following items will be required and a contract let for same.

Item No.	Item of Work	Unit	Price Per Unit
1.	Ditch Excavation (Unclassified)	cyd.	\$
2.	Crushed Stones (MDOT-6A)	tons	\$
3.	Culvert Cleaning	each	\$
4.	Clearing & Grubbing	acre	\$
5.	Geotextile Fence	lft.	\$
6.	Remove Tree 8" - 18"	each	\$
7.	Class "B" Sodding & Topsoil	syd.	\$
8.	Turf Establishment	acre	\$

The above unit prices apply only to additions or deletions of up to 25% for the total amounts of the individual items of work under the Contract prior to amendment.

### JEWETT DRAIN CLEANOUT

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned at 600 Randolph Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226, until 3:30 P.M., Eastern Standard Time, on Wednesday, February 24, 1993, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read for the cleaning, deepening, straightening and widening of approximately 17,890 feet of open drain; the clean-out of the Jewett Drain a.k.a Throop Drain No. 2 in Van Buren Township. Plans and proposals may be secured by prospective bidders on or after 10:00 A.M., Eastern Standard Time, on Monday, February 8, 1993, upon application in the Contracts Office at 600 Randolph Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226. A fee of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) plus 4% Michigan Sales Tax or a total of Twenty-Six Dollars and 00/00 Cents (\$26.00) will be charged for each set of plans and proposals furnished to the bidders. This fee must be presented in the form of a check and it will not be refunded. An additional fee of Five Dollars (\$5.00) per set will be charged for mailing of plans and proposal. Each sealed bid shall be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check in an amount equal to \$2,000.00, payable to the Jewett Drain Drainage District, Michigan. Proposals will not be accepted after the time designated for the opening of the bids. The bidder shall assume full responsibility for delivery of proposals prior to the appointed hour for opening same, and shall assume the risk of late delivery or non-delivery regardless of the manner he employs for the transmission thereof. Plans and proposals will also be on file at the Construction Association of Michigan, Detroit, MI; the F.W. Dodge Division, McGraw-Hill Information Systems, Dearborn, MI; the Daily Construction Reports Plan Room, Sterling Heights, MI; and the Association of Minority Contractors, Detroit, MI. Proposals which have been submitted shall not be withdrawn after the time set for a period of one hundred twenty (120) days after opening of bids. The Jewett Drain Drainage District reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in bids.

### Notice of Review of Apportionment for Drain Special Assessment

Notice is Further Hereby Given, that on the 3rd of March, 1993, for all properties and public corporation in Wayne County; at the Wayne Drain Commissioner's Office, 415 Clifford Street, 7th Floor Wayne County 313-224-3620 for all properties and public corporations in Wayne County; or at such other time and place thereafter, to which we may adjourn the same the apportionment for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Jewett Drain Special Assessment District", and the apportionments thereof will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon. At said review the computation of costs for said Drain will also be open for inspection by any parties interested. Whereas, The owner of any land in the Special Assessment District of the Jewett Drain who may feel aggrieved by the apportionment of benefits made by the county drain commissioner, may within 10 days after the day of review, appeal therefrom by making application to the probate court of the county in which the assessed property is located for the appointment of a board of review and may further appeal from the report of the board of review by application of a writ of certiorari by the circuit court of same county, all as provided in Sections 155 and 161 of the Drain Code (P.A. 40 of 1956, as amended).

Therefore, An owner or party in interest in property to be assessed, or his or her agent, may appear in person to protest the special assessment, or may protest the special assessment by letter filed with the drain commissioner at or prior to the time of review, in which case personal appearance is not required. The following is a description of the boundary of the land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz. Exact property description apportionment information must be obtained on the date and at the locations stated above. Drainage District for the Jewett Drain in Wayne County.

JEWETT NO. 2 J-002  
CITY OF BELLEVILLE AND VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP  
Commencing at the East quarter corner of Section 33, Van Buren Township, Town 3 South, Range 8 East, Wayne County, Michigan; thence Southerly along the East line of Section 33 to a point 165 feet South of the North line of parcel 33R; thence Westerly parallel to the North line of said parcel 33R, 390 feet; thence Northerly parallel to the East line of Section 33 to the South line of parcel 33Q2; thence Westerly along the South line of said parcel 33Q2, 330 feet; thence Northerly parallel to the East line of Section 33, 300 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the South line of parcel 33Q2 to the West line of said parcel; thence Northerly along the West line of parcels 33Q2, 33Q1b2 and 33B1 to a point 140 feet North of the East and West quarter line of Section 33; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 33, 680 feet; thence Northerly parallel to the East line of parcel 33D1c,D3 and 33D1a 660 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 33 to the East line of parcel 33H2b; thence Southerly along the East line of said parcel 33H2b, 100 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 33 to the West line of Section 33; thence Northerly along the East line of Section 32, 100 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 32 to the East line of parcel 32J; thence Northerly along the East line of said parcel 32J, 190 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 32 to the North and South quarter line of Section 32; thence Northerly along the North and South quarter line of Section 32 to the extended South line of Parcel 32N; thence Westerly along the South line and South line extended of said parcel 32N to the West line of said parcel; thence Northerly along the East line of Parcel 32P2 to the South line of parcel 32R, extended parallel to the North line of Section 32; thence Westerly parallel to the North line of Section 32 to the Southeast corner of parcel 32R; thence Northerly along the East line of Parcel 32R to a point 330 feet South of the North line of Parcel 32R; thence Westerly parallel to the North line of Parcel 32R, 330 feet; thence Northerly parallel to the East line of Parcel 32R to the North line of Parcel 32R; thence Westerly along the South line of Parcels 32Q1a, 33Q1b and 32Q2, 528 feet; thence Northerly parallel to the East line of Parcel 32Q2 to the South line of Hull Road; thence Westerly along the South line of Hull Road to a Point 300 feet East of the West line of Section 32; thence Northerly parallel to the West line of Sections 32 and 29, 330 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the South line of Section 29 to the West line of Section 29; thence Northerly along the East line of Section 30, 393 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the North line of Parcel 30CC, 700 feet; thence Northerly parallel to the East line of Section 30 to the North line of Parcel 30CC; thence Westerly along the North line of said Parcel 30CC to the East line of Parcel 30AA; thence Northerly along the East line of said Parcel 30AA, 330 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 30 to the East line of Parcel 30Z3; thence Northerly along the East line of said Parcel 30Z3, 198 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 30 to the East line of Parcel 30Y; thence 66 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 30 to the North and South quarter line of Section 30; thence Northerly along the North and South quarter line of Section 30 to the North line of Parcel 30F being the center line of Huron River Drive; thence Northeasterly along the centerline of Huron River Drive to the West line of Matilda Walker Subdivision; thence Northerly along the West line of said subdivision to the North line of said subdivision being the North line of Section 30; thence Easterly along the North line of Section 30 to the East line of Section 30; thence Southerly along the West line of Section 29, 1000 feet; thence Easterly parallel to the North line of Section 29 to the East line of Parcel 29X; thence Southerly along the East line of said Parcel 29X, 320 feet; thence Easterly parallel to the North line of Section 29 to the East line of Parcel 29W; thence Southerly along the East line of said Parcel 29W, 660 feet; thence Easterly parallel to the North line of Section 29 to the East line of Parcel 29U; thence Southerly along the East line of said Parcel 29U to the East and West quarter line of Section 29; thence Easterly along the East and West quarter line of Section 29, a point 180 feet West of the Northwest corner of Parcel 29CC1; thence Southerly parallel to the West lines of Parcels 29CC1, 29CC2a, and 29CC2b, to the extended South line of parcel 29CC2b; thence Easterly along the extended South line and South line of Parcel 29CC2b to a point 700 feet West of the East line of Section 29; thence Southerly parallel to the East line of Section 29, to the South line of Parcel 29DD2; thence Easterly 50 feet along the South line of Parcel 29DD2; thence Southerly parallel to the East line of Section 29, 200 feet; thence Easterly parallel to the South line of Parcel 29DD2, to the East line of Section 29; thence Northerly along the West line of Section 28 to the South line of Huron-Elwell Subdivision; thence Southeasterly along the South line of said subdivision to the Southwest corner of Lot 4 of said subdivision; thence Northerly along the West line of Lot 4 to a point 100 feet South of the Northwest corner of said lot; thence Southeasterly parallel to the North line of Lot 4, to the East line of Lot 4;

thence Northerly to the Northeast corner of Lot 4; thence southeasterly along the North lines of Lots 5 and 6 to the West line of Parcel 28x1; thence Northerly to the South line of Huron River Drive (66 feet wide); thence Southeasterly along the said South line of Huron River Drive, 110 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the West line of Parcel 28X1 to the North line of Parcel 28Y1b2a1; thence Southeasterly along said North property line to a point 820 feet East of the West line of said parcel; thence Southerly parallel to the West line of said parcel; thence Southerly parallel to the West line of Parcel 28Y1b2a1 to the North line of Parcel 28Y1b2b1; thence Easterly to a point 250 feet West of the Northeast corner of Parcel 28Y1b2b1; thence Southerly parallel to the East lines of Parcels 28Y1b2b1 and 28Y1b3a to the East and West quarter line of Section 28; thence Easterly along said East and West quarter line to a point 1393 feet East of the West line of Section 28; thence Southerly parallel to the West line of Section 28, to the North line of Avon Estates Subdivision; thence Easterly along the North line of said subdivision to the Northeast corner of Lot 19; thence Southerly to the Northeasterly line of Lot 22 of Avon Estates Subdivision; thence Southeasterly along the Northeasterly line of Lot 22 to the North line of the Wabash Railroad right of way; thence Northeasterly along the North line of the Wabash Railroad right of way to a point 710 feet South of the East and West quarter line of Section 28; thence Easterly parallel to the East and West quarter line of Section 28 to the South line of the Wabash Railroad right of way; thence Northeasterly along the South line of the Wabash Railroad right of way to the North and South quarter line of Section 28; thence Southerly along the North and South quarter line of Section 28 to the North line of Parcel 28HH1a extended parallel to the South line Parcel 28GG2; thence Easterly parallel to the South line of Parcel 28GG2, 700 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the North and South quarter line of Section 28 to the South line of Parcel 28GG2; thence Westerly along the North line of Parcel 28NN, 380 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the North and South quarter line of Section 28 to the South line of Parcel 28NN; thence Easterly along the South line of said Parcel 28NN, 300 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the centerline of Roulo Avenue to the centerline of Chaney Avenue extended parallel to the South line of Section 28; thence Easterly parallel to the South line of Section 28 to the West line of Roulo Avenue; thence continuing Easterly along the centerline of Chaney Avenue to the East line of Section 28; thence Southerly approximately 169 feet to the extended North line (furthest South) of Parcel 27Y2; thence Easterly along the extended North line of parcel 27Y2 to the East line of Parcel 27Y1 (LEAVING VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP ENTERING CITY OF BELLEVILLE); thence continuing Easterly, Northerly and Easterly along the North line and North line extended of Parcel 27Y2 to the East line of said parcel; thence Southerly along the East line of parcel 27Y2 to the South line of Section 27 (LEAVING CITY OF BELLEVILLE ENTERING VAN BUREN TOWNSHIP); thence Easterly along the North line of Section 34 to the East line of parcel 34E; thence Southerly along the East line of said Parcel 34E to a point 770 feet North of the South line of said parcel 34E; thence Westerly parallel to the South line of Parcel 34E, 330 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the East line of Parcel 34E, 410 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the South line of Parcel 34E, 410 feet; thence Southerly parallel to the East line of Parcels 34E and 34F, 990 feet; thence Westerly parallel to the North line of Parcel 34F to the West line of Section 34; thence Southerly along the East line of Section 33 to the East quarter corner of Section 33, being the point of beginning.

The following railroad right of way description is within the Jewett No 2 Drainage District:  
WABASH RAILROAD

All that part of the Wabash Railroad right of way lying in the Southwest quarter of Section 28, except the North 710 feet. Also all that part of the Wabash Railroad right of way lying in the Southeast 1/4 of Section 29, the Northeast quarter of Section 32 and the Northwest 1/4 of Section 32, except the South 990 feet; all in Van Buren Township.

Now, Therefore, All unknown and non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you

For Wayne County, the  
Wayne County Clerk  
Wayne County Office of Public Services, Road Division  
Township Clerk, Township of Van Buren  
State of Michigan, for State Highways  
which public corporations are liable for assessments at large for reason of benefits for public health, convenience, welfare, and the improvement of highways, and are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, at such other time and place thereafter to which said letting may be adjourned, we shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said "Jewett Drain", in the manner hereinbefore stated; and also, that at such time and place as stated aforesaid from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, the apportionment for benefits and the lands comprised within the Jewett Drain Special Assessment District will be subject to review. And You and Each of You, Owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of such reviewing to apportionments as aforesaid, and be heard with respect to such special assessments and your interest in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Given under my hand this 1st day of February, 1993.  
James E. Murray, Director  
Wayne County Division of Public Works

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February 11, 1993



# Bingo

## Fund raiser for victim is successful

By MARGO DEWEY  
ANP Feature Editor

The fund raiser for a Wayne resident who is battling against Osteogenic Sarcoma, cancer of the knee and femur, was a success last week with more than 100 people participating in the event.

The Wayne Jaycees, in conjunction with the St. Mary's Christian Youth Organization, sponsored the fund raiser at St. Mary's Haney Hall on Michigan Avenue.

Approximately \$2,100 was collected to assist 18-year-old Jason Stewart, a 1992 Wayne Memorial graduate and avid basketball player, who needs financial assistance for upcoming surgery.

"I want to thank St. Mary's for all their assistance with making this project a success," said Joey Hultman, president of the Wayne Jaycees. "I also want to thank all of those individuals who contributed their time and money to help Jason."

Stewart found out about the cancer only last September, according to his mother and fa-

ther, Jeff and Cindy Stewart. "He has been a camp counselor for two summers," Cindy Stewart said. "Last summer he began to complain about his knee swelling. We took him to several doctors, and they couldn't find anything."

"I finally took him to the emergency room in the fall, and on Sept. 1, they found he had cancer of the knee through a biopsy."

Stewart has two options for relief of the cancer, according to his mother. The first involves removing the knee and femur bone and replacing the area with metal.

"With the second option, he would have to lose his leg," Stewart said. "The doctor is recommending Jason try the surgery first because he is so young. Once they remove the knee and femur bone, they have to make sure the cancer is at least 90 percent dead or he will have to lose his leg."

Surgery is scheduled for the end of February. Stewart has been receiving extensive chemotherapy since last fall.

"He goes into the hospital for five days and then comes

home for two days," Cindy Stewart said. "It takes a lot out of him."

The Wayne Jaycees are also asking Wayne businesses to offer a \$10 donation to assist Stewart. Contributions can be mailed to: Jason Stewart, 4176 Second Street, Wayne Mich., 48184.

Cindy Uglow, front, and Cindy Stewart carefully study their cards during the recent Bingo night sponsored by the Wayne Jaycees to aid 18-year-old cancer victim Jason Stewart. ANP photo by Larry Divizio



# Most eligible singles

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We'd like to meet them and introduce these "most desirable" singles to our readers. The qualifications are simple. They must be single, reside in our circulation area and someone has to nominate them.

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the most desirable single you know? And, obvious reasons aside, what makes them so attractive or appealing to the opposite sex?

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# PLAN

(continued from A-1)

against Proposal C which would have wounded public education, school officials said.

Engler's plan is based on the SEV growing at an average rate of 5-percent net rate compounded annually in 1992-93. There will be a 10-percent reduction the first year, a 15-percent reduction the second year and a 20-percent reduction the third year according to information provided by Wayne County RESA officials.

All of the districts would levy the 1992-93 millage rate during that three-year period.

Possible funds lost to area districts, according to information provided by Wayne County RESA officials include:

- The Plymouth-Canton school district would lose \$6,911,928 the first year, \$10,886,287 the second year and \$15,240,801 the third year for a total of \$33,039,016.

- The Romulus school district would lose \$2,358,418 the first year, \$3,714,509 the second year and \$5,200,313 the third year for a total of \$14,279,240.

- The Wayne-Westland school district would lose \$5,787,572 the first year, \$9,115,426 the second year and \$12,761,596 the third year for a total of \$27,664,594.

- The Van Buren school district would lose \$2,077,644 the first year, \$3,272,291 the second year and \$4,581,206 the third year for a total of \$9,931,141.

- The Inkster school district would lose \$318,540 the first year \$498,262 the second year and \$697,567 the third year for a total of \$1,511,309.

- The Westwood school district would lose \$906,677 the first year, \$1,428,017 the second year and \$2,039,018 the third year for a total of \$4,373,712.

The loss of state aid could lead to massive program cuts in school districts throughout the state, officials said.

"This would be devastating to the educational program, and it would make a mockery of quality education which has always been part of the Plymouth-Canton school district," said Dick Egli, communications director for the Plymouth-Canton school district. "It almost gets to a point of absurdity and it is demoralizing. Teachers may have to teach with 45 kids in a classroom."

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### Protect your neighborhood

- Help yourself and your neighbors to prevent thefts and burglaries by watching out for one another.

- Talk to your neighbors about forming a Neighborhood Watch program. If your neighborhood doesn't have a crime problem, don't just sit back and consider yourself lucky. Organize to keep your neighborhood crime free.

- Know your neighbor's routines and report any irregularities to police. Burglars have often been mistaken as movers or delivery people and openly carted off valuable possessions while a family is away at work or on vacation.

### Protect your home

- Don't keep any identifying information on your key ring. If your keys are lost or stolen,

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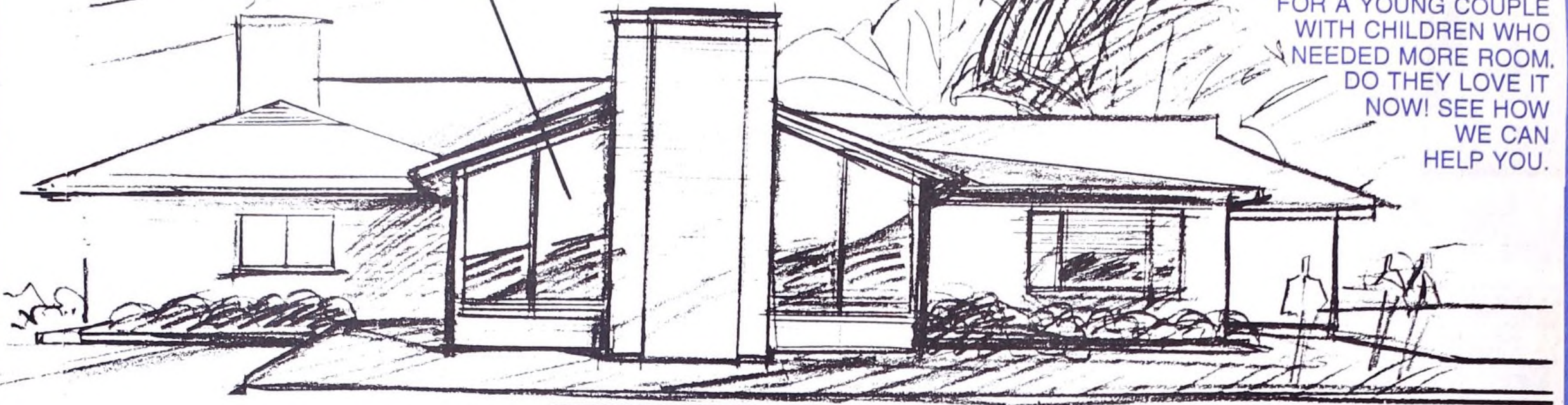
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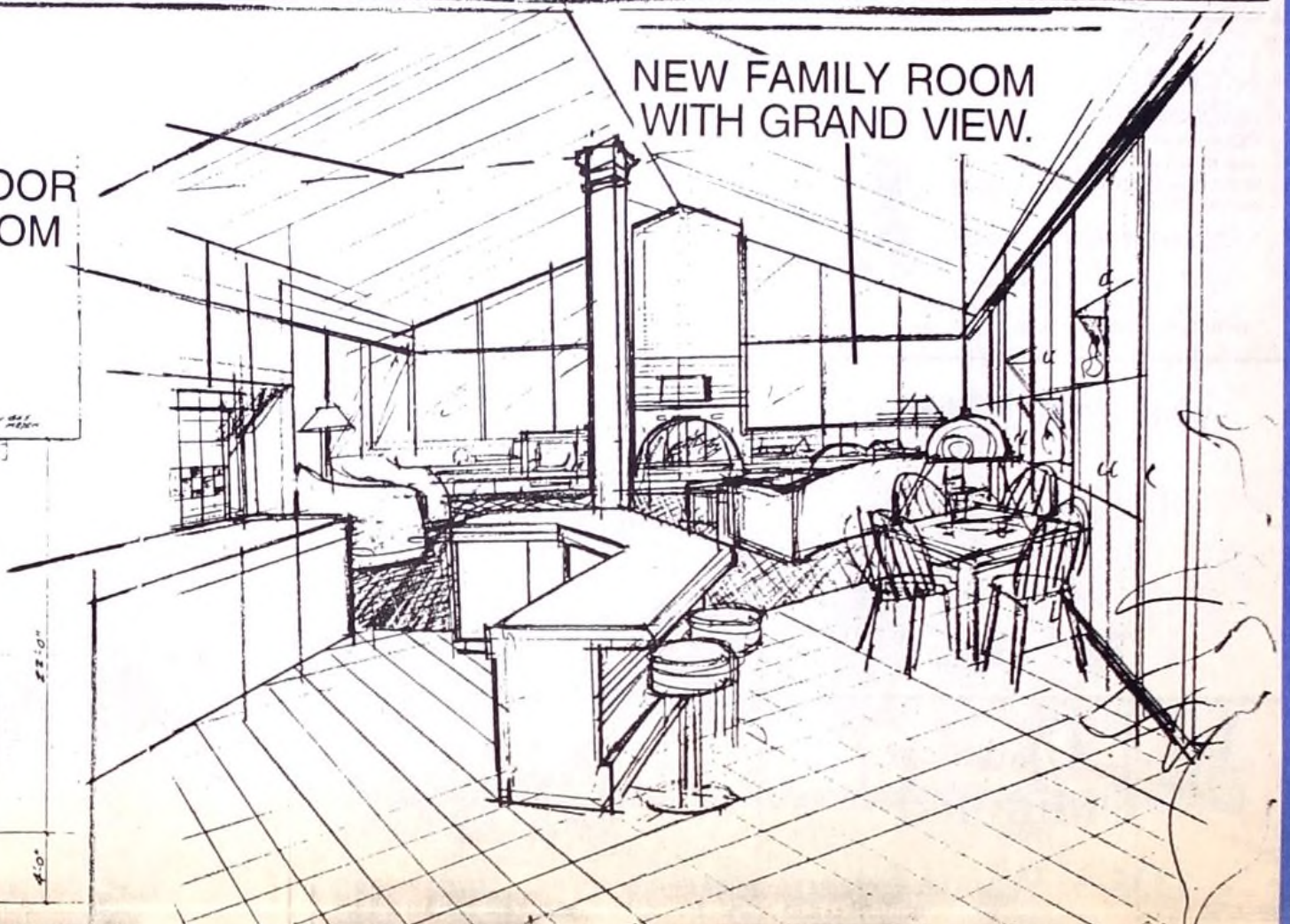
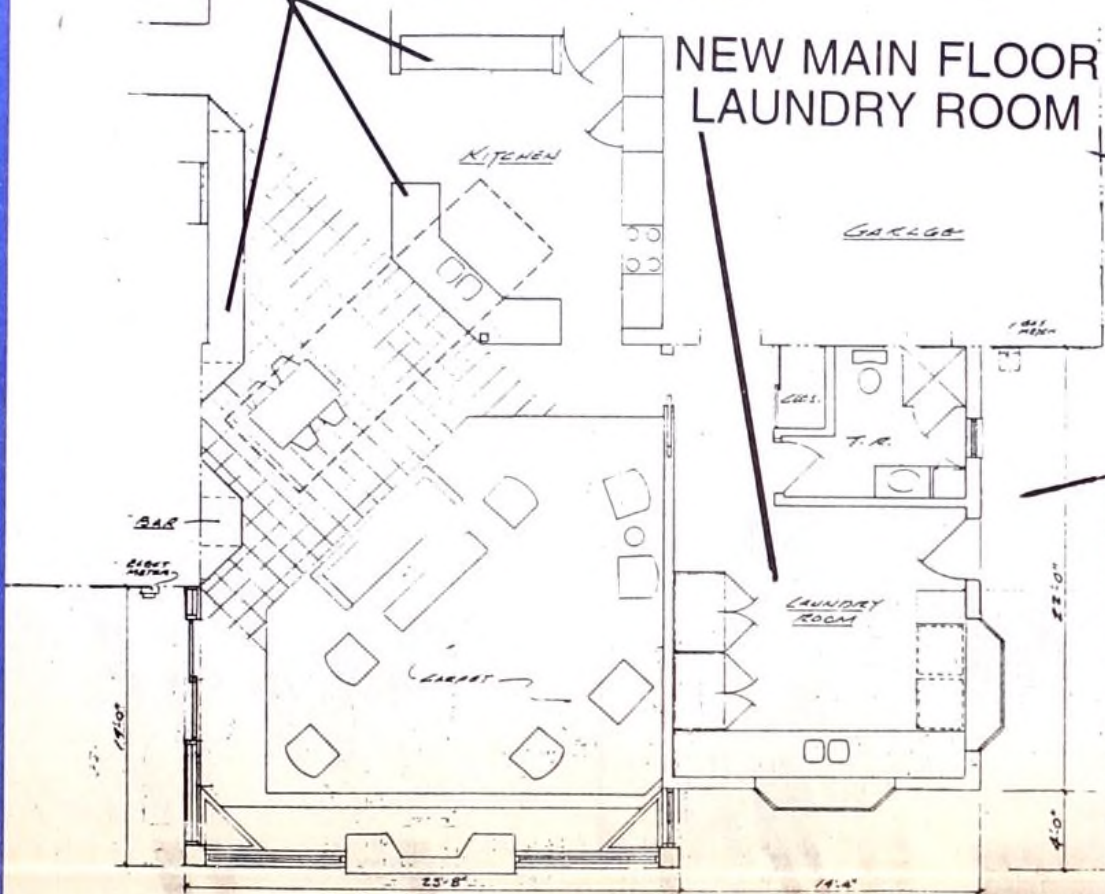
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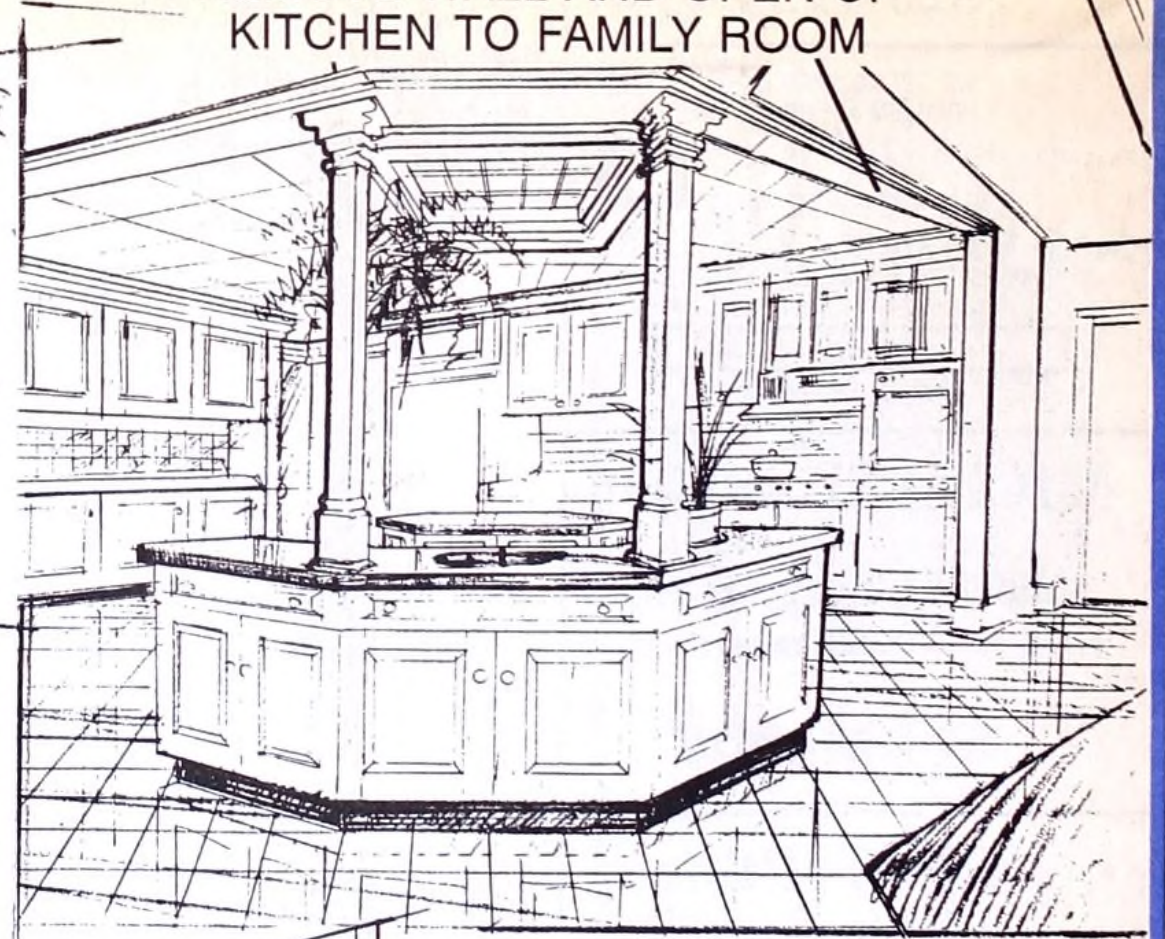
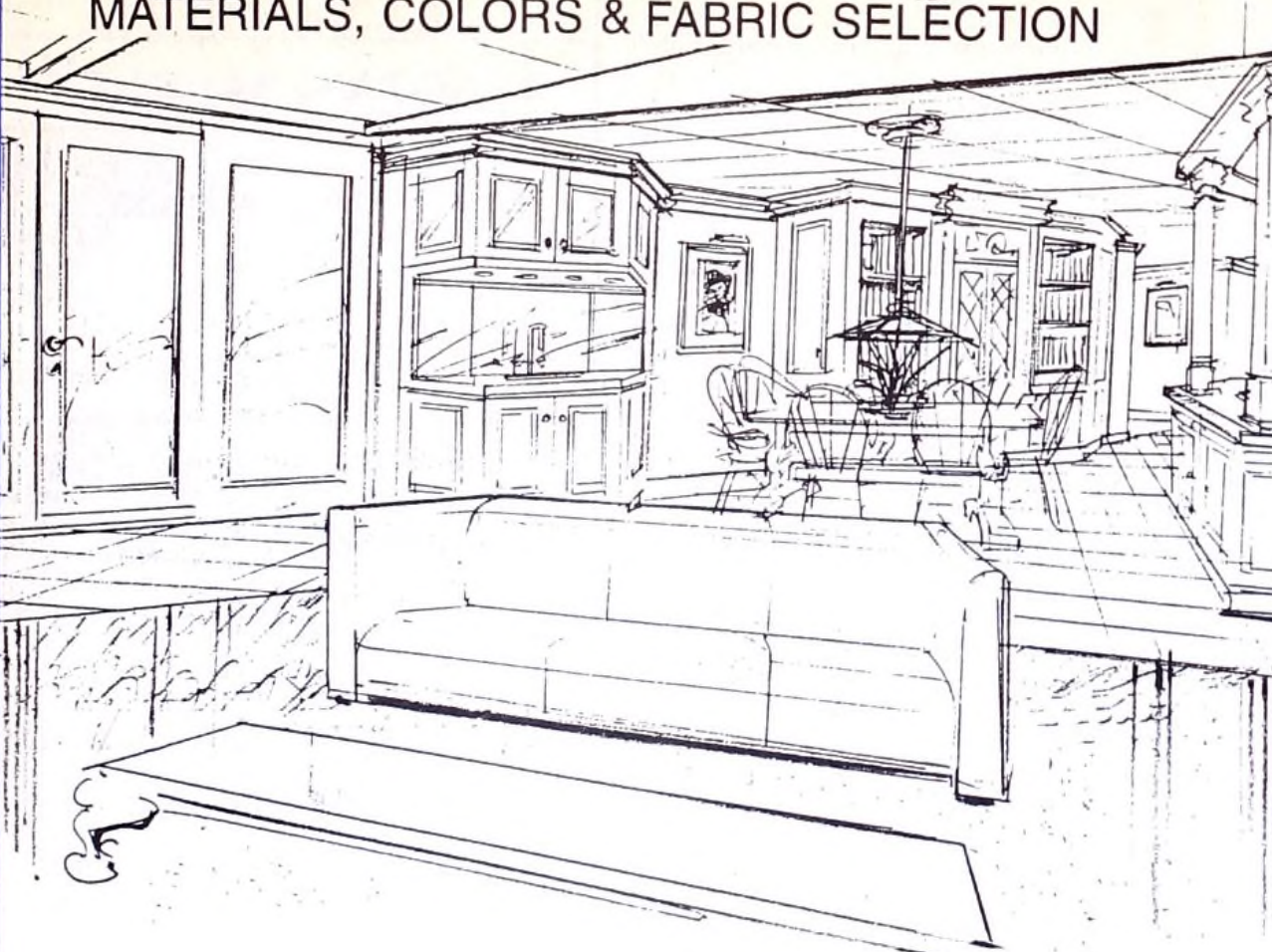
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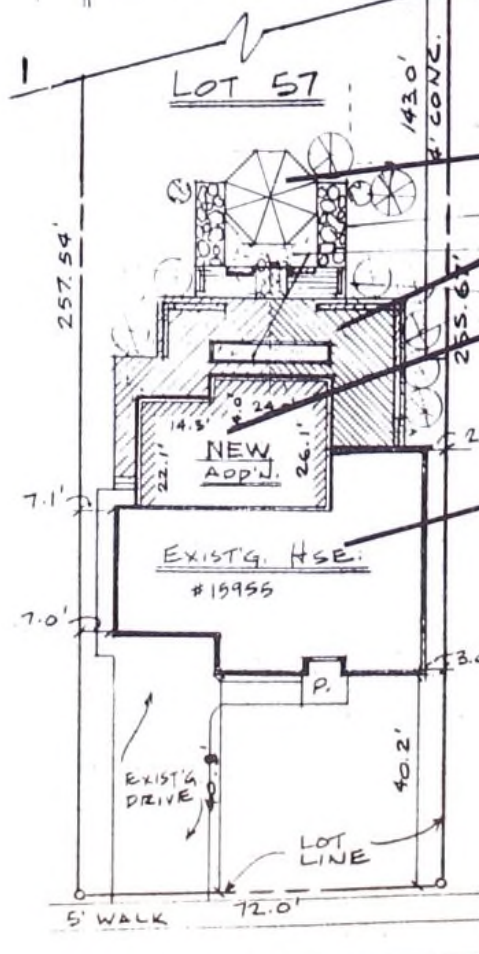
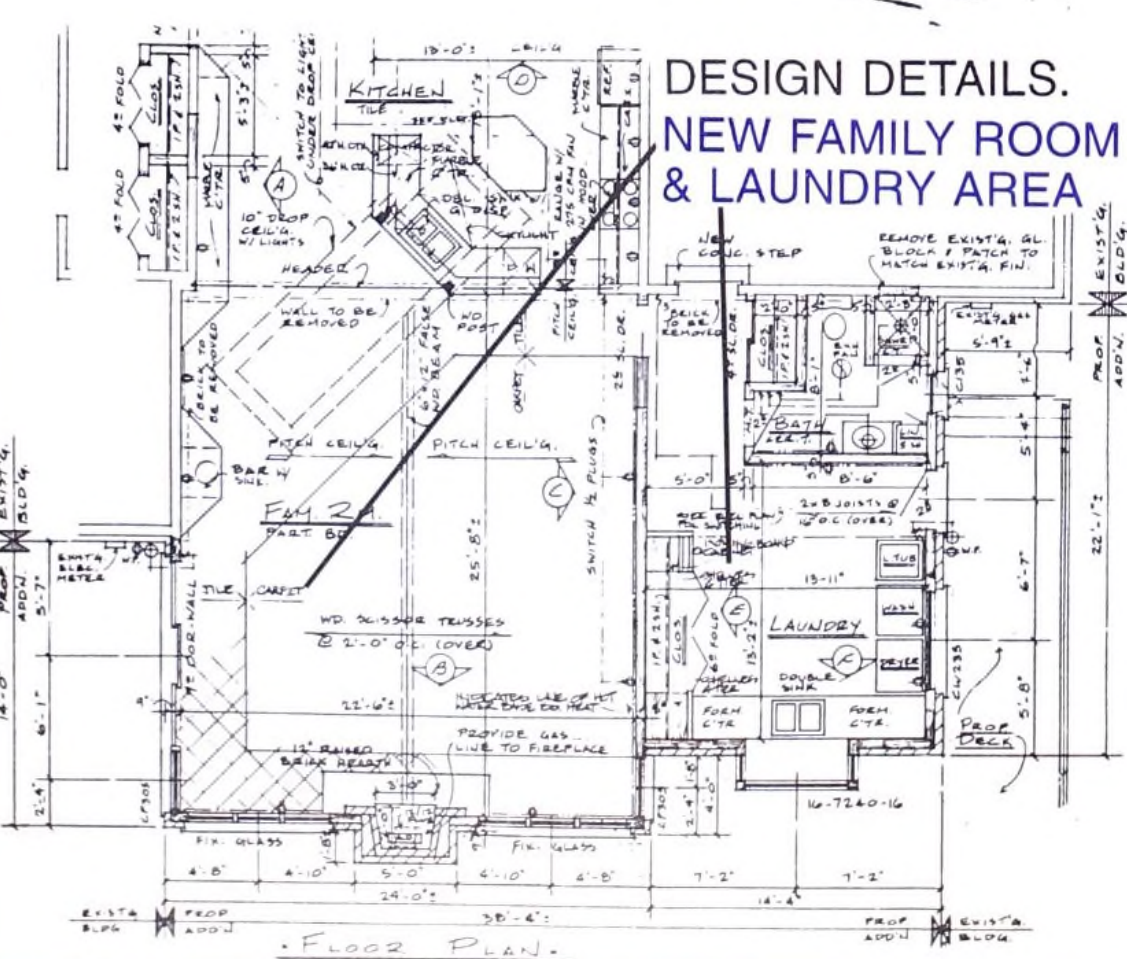


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Celebrating National Catholic Schools Week brought Clifford to visit youngsters at St. Aloysius School in Romulus. Week-long activities celebrating parents, family, students and religion were featured at the school last week. ANP photo by Ken Garner

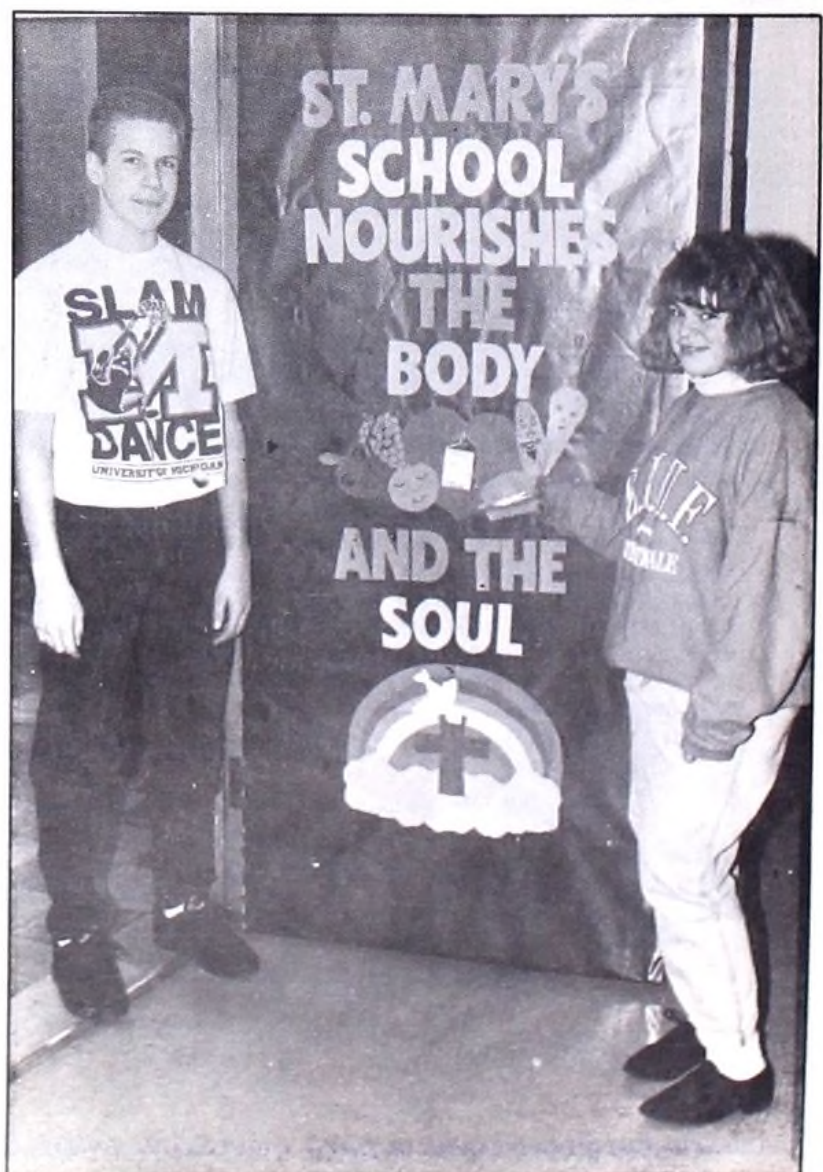
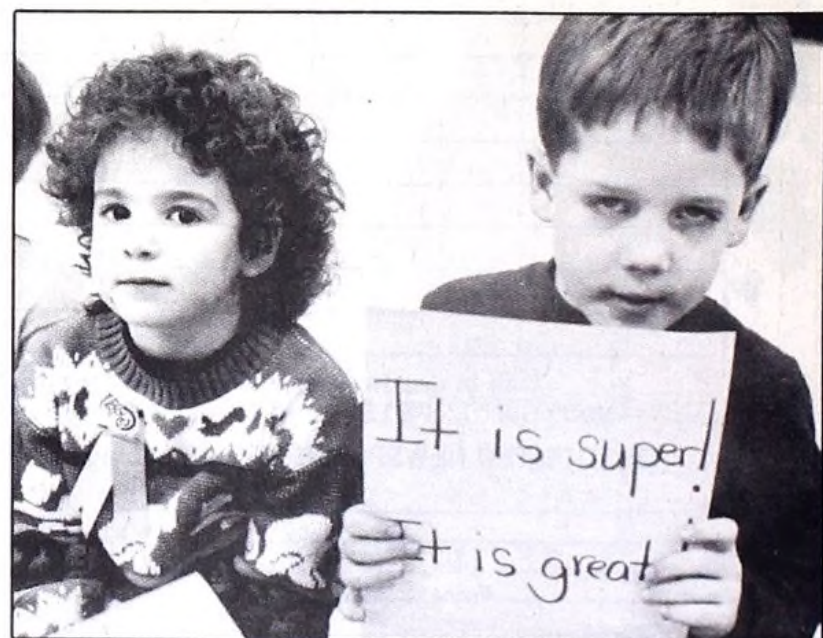
## Good news Students celebrate spirit

Students at three area schools celebrated National Catholic Schools Week with special events and activities.

Youngsters in kindergarten through eighth-grade at St. Aloysius School in Romulus, St. Anthony's Academy in Belleville and St. Mary's School in Wayne participated in the celebration with a variety of activities. Spirit Day, a Read-a-Thon, musical programs and all-school Masses focused on the 1993 theme, *Choose Catholic Schools - The Good News in Education*.




Johanna Sovinski visits with Clifford (left) at St. Aloysius School. Top right, Spirit Day is celebrated at St. Anthony's Academy. At the center right, Merritt Grusecki and Steve Sanders spread the news that their school is "super" and "great." St. Mary's students Bart Hockenberger and Elizabeth Rohn (bottom right) display the decorated door to their classroom. ANP photo by Ken Garner





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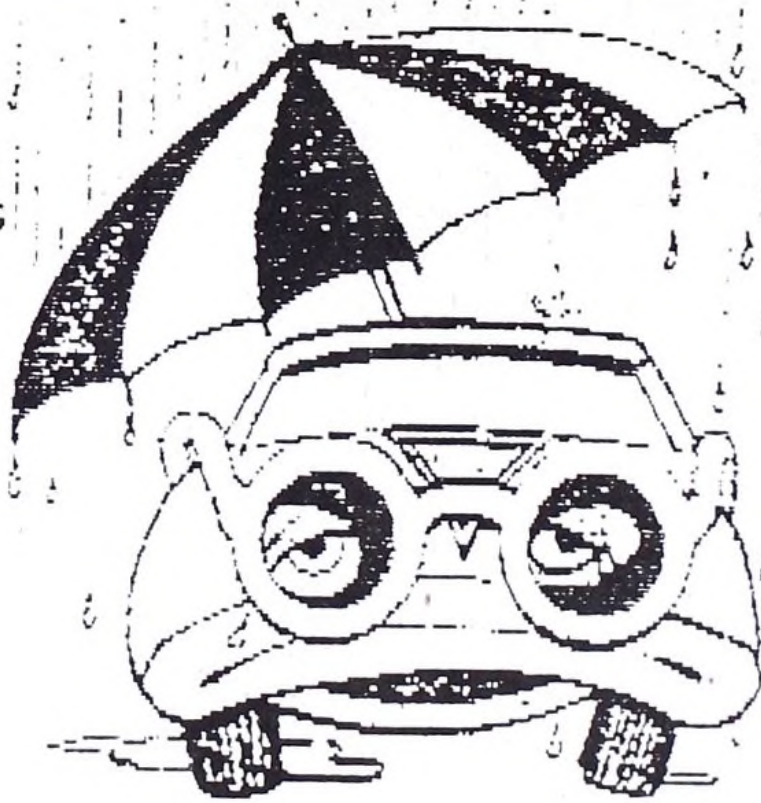
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